

NIGHT CONFERENCE OF DEMOCRATIC LEADERS APPEARS TO BE FRUITLESS

ALL FACTIONS ARE REPRESENTED IN CONFERENCE DEBATE BUT MEETING IS WITHOUT DEFINITE RESULT

O'Connell of Chicago, Arthur Charles of Carmi, Judge Owen P. Thompson of this City, Fred Kern of Belleville, and Ernest Hoover of Taylorville are Among Leaders of Illinois Democracy Who Met Together Last Night in Effort to Discover Some Solution to Speakership Deadlock.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., JAN. 21.—Leaders representing all factions of the Illinois Democracy debated long into the night tonight in a conference room, the struggle aimed at breaking the two weeks speakership deadlock in the house of the Illinois legislature. William L. O'Connell of Chicago, Governor-elect Edward F. Dunne's chief political adviser; Arthur Charles of Carmi, chairman of the Democratic state central committee; Judge Owen P. Thompson of Jacksonville, close friend of Representative William A. Hubbard; Fred Kern, former mayor of Belleville; Ernest Hoover of Taylorville, state committeeman, and a score of others prominent in state politics, made repeated ineffectual efforts to adjust the difficulties of the fighting Democrats. At a late hour there was little apparent change in the involved situation and many members of the legislature predicted that tomorrow's session of the house would do but little to break the deadlock.

Distribution of about one million dollars per annum in federal patronage and half a million dollars per annum in state patronage, together with the question of the two federal senatorships, the wet and dry fight, and the contest for supremacy between Governor-elect Dunne and Roger C. Sullivan of Chicago continued tonight to hold the center of the stage in the debate regarding a settlement. Other elements were added to these questions from time to time but the greater number of arguments centered on these four principal points.

Almost every conceivable angle of rumored combination was canvassed during the night but there were no bedrock results.

Dunne Not Coming.
Discussing the possibility of the appearance of Governor-elect Dunne in Springfield in the near future Mr. O'Connell tonight said:

"Governor Dunne is not coming at this time. While he does not concede anything, and while he believes that he, legally, can assume the duties of his office at this time, he does not want to engage in an unseemly or undignified scramble for the office."

Reply to a question as to whether Representative Charles F. Clyne, of Aurora, would be acceptable as speaker, Mr. O'Connell said:

"Clyne would be all right and any one of about forty other Democrats would do."

In a caucus of two factions of Democratic members held tonight it was decided to again try out Representative John Rapp of Fairfield and Representative William A. Hubbard of Carrollton tomorrow.

Democratic leaders of the senate refused to link with favor today upon the senate standing committee slate submitted to them by the Republican committee of committees. While the Republicans made what is conceded by the Democrats to be as fair a division of committee honors as they expected would be forthcoming they retained control of several important committees which the Democrats think should be controlled by their side.

Thirty-ninth Ballot.
The thirty-ninth ballot on the speakership deadlock in the house of the Illinois legislature, taken shortly after 10:30 o'clock this morning, showed practically no change in the tense situation that has existed for the last two weeks. Rumors of a break failed to materialize and after the thirty-ninth ballot leaders of the various political factions in the house agreed to take one or two more ballots today and adjourn tomorrow out of respect to the death of the father of Representative Franklin S. Catlin of Chicago and the death of Thomas Brady, the brother of Auditor-elect James J. Brady.

Representative David E. Shanahan of Chicago, dean of the house and Republican floor leader; Medill McCormick of Chicago, leader of the Progressive; Representative John J. McLaughlin, leader of the Sullivan Democrats, and other influential members admitted that no progress toward a settlement of the speakership had been made in the last three days.

Arthur Charles of Carmi, chairman of the Democratic state central committee; Fred Kern, former mayor of Belleville, and other men prominent in the state democracy, today made repeated futile efforts to arrive at some basis of compromise.

The thirty-ninth roll call on temporary speaker resulted:

Tice 48, Rapp 10, McLaughlin 21, Karch 23, Hubbard 13, Carter 22, Stedman 4, Ryan 4, Capt. James H. Farrell 1. Total 148.

Five members were absent when the roll was called.

Fortieth Ballot.

The fortieth ballot resulted as follows:

Tice 48, Rapp 10, McLaughlin 20,

Stedman 4, Ryan 4, Farrell 1. Absentees 6. Total 146.

Representative O'Rourke of Chicago cast his vote on the two ballots today for Representative J. H. Farrell, naming him as the oldest member of the house.

Representative Carter, Progressive candidate for speaker, explained the absence of Messrs. Taylor and Elliott, two Progressive members, saying both are detained at their homes by illness.

Representative Shanahan, Republican floor leader, explained that Representative Catlin was absent because of the death of his father yesterday in Chicago.

The other absentees today were Messrs. Crawford, Finley and Pitlock, all Democrats.

Adjourn Until Today.
Immediately following the announcement of the result of the second ballot the house adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning out of respect to Charles Catlin, father of Representative Franklin S. Catlin, who died yesterday in Chicago, and Thomas Brady, brother of State Auditor-elect J. J. Brady, who died in Springfield yesterday.

Representative McKinley explained that several of the Democratic members desired to attend the funeral of Mr. Brady, whose remains were to be sent to Chicago at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon for interment tomorrow. Representative Shaver, the colleague of Representative Catlin informed the house of the death of the latter's father, and moved that out of respect to the memory of both Mr. Catlin and Mr. Brady the house stand adjourned until tomorrow. The motion was seconded by Representative McKinley and adopted by a rising vote.

Will Balk Progressives.
In the candidacy of Hon. Ben. F. Caldwell, of Sangamon county, for the short term senatorship, the Republicans believe they see an opportunity to prevent the Progressives from ever electing a Progressive to the United States senate under an agreement with the Democrats. A number of Republicans are saying that before they will let the Democrats deliver to the Progressives the full Republican strength of 75 votes will be cast for Mr. Caldwell.

In view of the demands from Washington for two senators, the Republicans think that the Democrats would be compelled to elect Caldwell if the situation ever reaches the point where he is given 75 Republican votes. With 75 Republicans it would take but 25 Democratic votes, either from the house or senate, or from both bodies, to elect Mr. Caldwell.

In the opinion of Republican leaders Democrats who would refuse to take advantage of a situation like this probably would find things at home exceedingly uncomfortable for them.

Dunne Eliminates Liquor Issue.
Chicago, Jan. 21.—Governor-elect Dunne tonight made it plain to William L. O'Connell his representative on the scene of the speakership battle that he desires the "wet" and "dry" issue eliminated from the fight.

"I tried to make my position plain to the speakership candidates," Mr. Dunne said tonight, but it appears some of them did not understand the imperative need of eliminating the liquor issue from the present contest.

The governor-elect then recalled how during his campaign he had refused to take sides on the question and said that as the issue was not fought out in the election it should not come up now.

THOMAS P. BONFIELD, RAILROAD MAGNATE DIES AT KANKAKEE

Was First resident of the Village of Kankakee and Instrumental in Securing That Town's Charter.

Kankakee, Ill., Jan. 21.—Thomas Philip Bonfield, president of the Kankakee & Seneca railway and a director of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific and Big Four railroads and died at his home in this city early today after a lingering illness with bronchitis.

Mr. Bonfield was one of the most prominent men in this section of the state. He was the first president of the village of Kankakee and instrumental in securing the town's charter.

From 1877 to 1881 he was a member of the state senate, and through his efforts the Kankakee State hospital was located here. He tried the first case in Kankakee circuit court in 1853 before Judge Henderson, court being held at that time in the Illinois Central freight depot. He has been president of the Kankakee & Seneca continuously since its

organization.

He was married to Mrs. Mary Bonfield.

He is survived by his wife and two daughters.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow at the residence.

Interment will be in the Kankakee cemetery.

He was born in New York.

He was educated in New York.

He was a member of the Kankakee lodge.

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COMMISSION BEGINS INVESTIGATION WORK

Start Preliminary Work of Probing Telephone and Telephone Lines

WORK WILL BE BIG TASK

Many of the 20,000 Companies in the U. S. Will be Investigated During the Year

TO DISREGARD SHERMAN LAW

WASHINGTON, JAN. 21.—Preliminary work began today on the interstate commerce commission's investigation of telephone and telephone lines referred to that body upon Attorney General Wickersham's decision not to proceed under the Sherman law against the American Telephone and Telegraph company, and the Bell system. Chairman Lane began organization of plans for the inquiry and before the work is finished it may be found necessary to ask congress for additional legislation and may ultimately involve the broad policy of the desirability of competition in telephone service.

The investigation will not be nationwide in its scope but will be the most extensive ever undertaken by the commission. It is pointed out, that while under existing law, the authority of the commission to make the inquiry is indisputable the enactment of new legislation may be necessary before the results of any investigation could be made effective. It is expected that the jurisdiction of the commission over many of the 20,000 telephone companies in the United States may be attacked in part or in whole. Most of them are local companies, but it probably will be held that such of them as may form links in interstate lines are subject to the commission's jurisdiction.

In the opinion of these officers of the commission who have studied the telephone situation the most important question involved in the inquiry will be the broad national policy as to whether it is advisable from the public viewpoint, to have telephone and telegraph lines linked. Information furnished to the commission by the attorney general relates almost solely to the companies' amenability to the Sherman anti-trust law. It will be necessary for the commission, through its special agents, to inquire into all the operations of the companies and it is probable that the work will occupy a year or more.

GOVERNMENT WILL DETERMINE WHAT IS "PURE WATER"

Has Settled What is Pure Whiskey, Pure Wine and Pure Beer and Will Now Consider Question of Pure Water.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The federal government which for years has been warning the nation against dangers lurking in polluted water, wants to know "what is pure water?"

To settle officially that question, Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh on the recommendation of Surgeon General Blue of the public health service today decided to appoint a commission of scientists to establish a standard of purity in water.

The government has settled what is pure whiskey, pure wine, pure beer, but the purity of water remains an unknown quantity. The establishment of this water standard will be the first move of the public health service in connection with regulations soon to be issued prohibiting the disposing of impure drinking water on railroad trains and other interstate carriers. These regulations will be enforced in co-operation with state boards of health.

Edward Barton of the University of Illinois, and E. O. Jordan of the University of Chicago are among those Secretary MacVeagh today asked to become members of the water standardization commission.

LAWS BECOME EFFECTIVE

Denver, Colo., Jan. 21.—Nine initiated and referred laws and constitutional amendments adopted at the November election, will become effective tomorrow under the terms of the proclamation issued today by Governor Ammons. The measures include, recall of all elective officers, issuing judges, recall of judicial decisions, eight hour law for women, and mother's compensation.

BREAKS YALE TEST RECORDS.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 21.—W. F. Roose of Hobboken, N. J., is the new strong man at Yale, it being announced today that he has broken the university test record with a total of 2,665 points. The former record of 2,490 was held by John R. Kilpatrick, 1911, the football and track star.

BLEASE IS INAUGURATED.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 21.—Col. L. Blease was inaugurated for the second time as governor of South Carolina today. In his inaugural address the governor severely arraigned the newspapers of the state and advocated the abolition of football at the state university.

SENATORS ELECTED.

Minnesota—Knut Nelson, Republican, re-elected.
Nebraska—George W. Norris, Republican.
Oregon—Henry Lane, Democrat.

TAFT APPROVES REPLY TO BRITISH SECRETARY

NOTE HAS BEEN MAILED ANSWERING ENGLAND'S PROTEST

President Approves Note Prepared by State Department in Reply to Communication From Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of Foreign Affairs.

WASHINGTON, JAN. 21.—President Taft has approved the note prepared at the state department in reply to the communication from Sir Edward Grey, the British secretary for foreign affairs, protesting against the exemption of American coastwise shipping from the payment of tolls in the Panama canal.

As a matter of official courtesy information is withheld as to the exact status of the note until it has been received by the British government through the American embassy in London.

Soon to be Received in London.

It is believed that the American note was dispatched by mail immediately upon its approval by the president, and that it should be in London within a week. The British government, however, will not be obliged to wait that length of time to become acquainted with its contents as the amenities of diplomacy require that simultaneously with the mailing of a dispatch of this character a copy be supplied to the resident ambassador or minister of the power to whom it is addressed. Ambassador Bryce, it is pointed out, need not hesitate to make free use of the cable to supply the British foreign office with at least an outline of the American note.

Ambassador Bryce, it is learned, previously had been fairly well acquainted with the nature of the reply to be submitted. A week ago he was invited to the state department and through the courtesy of Secretary Knox was permitted to listen to an explanation in detail of the American position by Chandler Anderson, counselor for the state department.

Published at Same Time.
Following precedents established in the publication of the Grey note it has been arranged that Secretary Knox's reply shall be given for publication simultaneously in Washington and London.

It is believed here that after attempting to eliminate a number of propositions contained in the British note regarded as not germane to the real issue, Mr. Knox has devoted himself principally to the effort to show that the term "all nations" in the Hay-Pauncefote treaty does not necessarily include the United States and that it is entirely competent for this government to treat its own shipping differently from that of other maritime nations insofar as the canal is concerned.

Important chapters in the history of the negotiations that led up to the confirmation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, which were either overlooked or purposely omitted in the discussion of this important feature in the British note, are also believed to be included in the American presentation. It generally is regarded as certain that sufficient new matter has been injected into the negotiations to warrant their continuance for some time, before the principals are brought to the necessity of final decision upon the question of whether the issues shall be submitted to arbitration. Unless both parties should decide to abandon the mails in favor of direct cable communication it is evident that this point cannot be reached in six weeks remaining of the life of the present administration and it may require some active exchanges on the part of Secretary Knox's successor in the state department and the British foreign office to disengage the subject in the three months that will intervene before the expiration of the existing British-American arbitration treaty.

FOUR CANDIDATES PETITION FOR NOMINATION TO FILL VACANCY

Four Petitions Have Been Received By the Secretary of State For Nomination to the Lower House.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 21.—The petitions of four candidates for nomination to the lower house from the forty-first district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late James H. Alexander of Lockport, were filed today with the secretary of state. The primary is to be held in the senatorial district February 21st and the special election on March 11th.

Those who filed petitions were: Edwin R. Wilson, Democrat; Joliet; Alcham F. Henneberg, Democrat; Wilmington; George B. Boardman, Progressive; Wheatland; Fred B. Rohrer, Republican; Crete. Henneberg was defeated at the November election.

NATIONAL FARM ASSN CONVENES

Washington, Jan. 21.—The national farm management association convened here today for a three day session. Delegates spent the day listening to reports and addresses by Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Hayes and Prof. B. T. Galloway, chief of the bureau of plant industry of the department of agriculture.

W. J. Spillman, chief of the bureau of farm management department of agriculture tonight delivered the president's annual address.

SENATORS ELECTED.

Minnesota—Knut Nelson, Republican, re-elected.
Nebraska—George W. Norris, Republican.
Oregon—Henry Lane, Democrat.

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ROOT CONDEMNS PRESENT POLICY

Senator Appeals for the Submission of Panama Controversy

ATTACKS U. S. ATTITUDE

Declares Question Should be Appealed or Section of Canal Law Repealed

OTHER WASHINGTON NEWS

TUESDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.
Convened at noon.

Senator Root in speech declared United States should either submit Panama free tolls question to impartial arbitration or retire from position taken.

Passed resolution providing \$25,000 for inaugural ceremonies.

Adopted resolution appointing Judge Geo. Gray of Delaware a regent of Smithsonian institution.

Adjourned at 5:21 p. m., until noon tomorrow.

House.
Convened at noon.

Resumed consideration of army appropriation bill.

Currency reform committee listened to views of Former Representative Charles N. Fowler of New Jersey, on revision of monetary system.

Agricultural products schedule of tariff was subject of hearing before ways and means committee.

Secretary Fisher gave Indian affairs committee his version of controversy over Osage Indian lands.

Agreed to further conference on Burnett-Dillingham immigration bill.

Representative Stanley urged before commerce committee passage of his bill to prevent mining and manufacturing firms from owning railroads which transport their goods.

Shipping trust investigating committee resumed its hearing, E. M. Hall, testifying.

Unfavorable report of army engineers on \$20,000,000 impounding reservoir project for headwaters of Ohio river, submitted by war department.

Passed military appropriation bill, carrying \$93,830,177.

Began consideration of river and harbor appropriation bill carrying \$40,872,915.

Adjourned at 6:30 p. m., until noon tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, JAN. 21.—"Shall we inform the world that the United States is false to its agreements; false to its pledges? Shall we have it made known the world over that you must look out for the United States or it will get the advantage of you? That it is astute, cunning, slippery?"

With this vigorous denunciation of the attitude of this country in the Panama canal controversy with Great Britain, Senator Elihu Root closed a two hour speech in the senate today with an appeal for the submission of the Panama question to arbitration or the repeal of that section of the canal law that would give free passage to American coastwise ships.

Speaking from the experience of a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet when the Panama canal was purchased, and when over twenty-five arbitration treaties were made with foreign nations, Senator Root declared the most vigorous attack on the present attitude of the United States that has been heard since he Panama controversy with Great Britain arose. It became known following the senator's address that Senator Brandegee, chairman of the inter-oceanic canals commission will call a meeting within a few days to take up Senator Root's amendment for the repeal of the free toll provision.

Will Attempt Change.

Led by Senators Root and Brandegee, both of whom opposed the original passage of this provision, a determined effort will be made at this session of congress to change the law before it goes into effect at the canal, so that the cause of dispute with Great Britain will be removed.

Senator Root declared the United States would violate all its pledges and promises to the world; would be guilty of "false pretenses" in its advocacy of general arbitration and would proclaim itself indifferent to national honor and integrity, if it refused to submit to arbitration, or to retreat from the unjust position it had taken.

He declared free coastwise tolls to American ships were illegal, unless the same concessions were made to foreign ships. "The claim that the United States had domestic shipping," he said, "is a lie."

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U. S. NAVY TO PROTECT AMERICAN PROPERTY

GUNBOAT WHEELING IS STEAMING FOR VERA CRUZ

Lawlessness of Mexican Rebels in Vera Cruz State and in Southern Mexico Demand That Rights of Americans in That Republic Be Safeguarded.

WASHINGTON, JAN. 21.—Alarmed for the safety of Americans, whose lives are in jeopardy because of widespread lawlessness of Mexican rebels in Vera Cruz state, and throughout Southern Mexico the state department again has called upon the navy to protect American interests in the republic.

Tonight the gunboat Wheeling is steaming from Tampa for Vera Cruz, where Americans are said to face a graver crisis than that relieved by the cruiser Des Moines during the Diaz uprising last October.

The request from the state department to the navy came after the receipt of a long series of official reports from Ambassador Wilson and consuls in Southern Mexican cities, all reflecting a condition of anarchy especially in the state of Vera Cruz where federal authorities face the problem of restoring civil order with a disorganized and divided army. Guerrilla warfare, brigandage, sacking of ranches and villages and other desperate crimes place Americans and other foreigners in a state of constant danger and the latest advices to the state department express fear of an even worse outbreak.

When the Wheeling arrives in Vera Cruz harbor, Americans and other foreigners will be taken aboard and officials express the hope that her display of armament may have the same moral effect that followed the arrival of the Des Moines a few months ago. Today's action by the state department indicates that the administration's policy of non-intervention will be adhered to, to the close of President Taft's term.

While the present administration will endeavor to take no action which will embroil the succeeding regime, it is taken for granted that, to the very end, aggressive action will be resorted to if disturbed conditions menace the safety of American citizens.

PRESIDENT TAFT WILL OBSERVE INAUGURATION CUSTOM

Will Ride With Successor From Capital to the White House as is the Custom.

Washington, Jan. 21.—White house officials announced tonight that President Taft expects to observe one of the ancient customs of inauguration day, abandoned by his predecessor, and will ride back up Pennsylvania avenue from the capitol to the white house with his successor. This custom was broken by Mr. Roosevelt four years ago when he hurried from the capitol to the Union Station to catch a train for Oyster Bay, leaving Mr. Taft to make the journey back up the avenue with Mrs. Taft.

At the direction of the president, Col. Spencer Cosh, chief aide at the white house, on his recent visit to Governor Wilson asked if the president-elect desired that this custom be revived. Col. Cosh reported today that Mr. Wilson was anxious that Mr. Taft accompany him.

KENYON IS ASSURED OF ELECTION OF U. S. SENATOR FROM IOWA

Senate and House Give Him a Majority of 33 Votes Over Daniel Hamilton, Democrat.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 21.—United States Senator William S. Kenyon was assured of re-election on joint ballot of the Iowa legislature tomorrow when the senate and house on separate ballots gave him a majority of 33 over Daniel Hamilton, Democrat. The joint ballot tomorrow is expected to be practically the same. Senator Kenyon will address the legislature after the vote is announced.

Governor Clarke sent his first special message to the legislature recommending the creation of a commission to settle labor disputes and citing recent labor troubles in the state as warranting such action. Twenty-seven bills were introduced in the house.

INDIANAPOLIS MAY NOT BE GUILTY OF SPEEDING.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 21.—Mayor S. L. Shank, arrested Saturday on a warrant sworn to by Edward W. Little, an attorney who charged the mayor had exceeded the automobile speed limit, late today was found not guilty by a jury in the court of Justice of Peace Teal. Mr. Shank's arrest was an outcome of his crusade against "speeding" in which he caused the arrest of Little's son who was found guilty and fined \$50 in police court.

IOWA CITY HIGH STILL HEADS LIST.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The National Rifle association of America today announced the result of the second competition between the public high school rifle teams through the United States for the new national trophy.

Iowa City High, defeated Brookline, Mass. high, 939 to 736, and heads the list at this contest, as it did in the first one.

TURKEY WANTS NOTE EXPLAINED

Powers are asked to Explain Several Passages in Their Note

CONSTANTINOPLE'S FATE

Fate of Turkish Capital is One Point in Doubt in Case of Further Warfare

TURKS WITHHOLD REPLY

LONDON, JAN. 21.—Turkey, before presenting her reply to the joint note of the powers wishes to obtain explanations concerning certain passages in the note. Instructions to this effect have been sent to the Turkish ambassadors accredited to the powers. Rechad Pasha, head of the Turkish peace plenipotentiaries and Tewfik Pasha, ambassador to Great Britain have been particularly enjoined to seek elucidation as they are in London where the note was prepared.

Explanations are to be requested on the following points:

The joint note says that in case of prolongation of the war the fate of Constantinople might be put in question. Does the note mean that the allies might be allowed to attack, conquer and remain in Constantinople, or does it mean that the powers themselves might control the government in the Ottoman capital?

The note speaks of the moral, material and benevolent support of the powers. What must Turkey understand by that? How is this support to be extended—under what form; to what extent; what guarantee is there for fulfillment of this promise?

Similarly what assurances do the powers offer for the settlement of the question of the Aegean islands in such a manner as to exclude further menaces to the security of Turkey. It is stated that the Turkish delegates in endeavoring to obtain satisfactory answers to these questions have made reference to what they describe as "Europe's broken faith," in failing to live up to the promise made four months ago that the status quo would not be changed whatever the result of the war. A distinguished diplomatist losing patience has recommended them not to pretend to be more naive than they are, since the Turks know well that the statement of the European powers contemplated only a case in which the Ottoman arms were victorious, as in 1837, when Turkey defeated Greece on which occasion Europe would not permit a change in the status quo.

Discuss Future Albania.

The ambassadorial conference will begin today the discussion of the limits of the future Albania one of the most difficult of the problems to be solved. The Servian memorandum to the ambassadors lays claim to Soutari and Ipek for Montenegro and Pristina and Priple for Servia.

Austria is expected to offer strong opposition to these claims.

Storm Sweeps Janina.

Athens, Jan. 21.—The Greek advance on Janina, which began yesterday with a general attack along the whole front, has been impeded by a great storm which is sweeping over Epirus.

FEDERAL AUTHORITIES ASKED TO TAKE CHARGE

Chicago, Jan. 21.—The federal court today was asked to take charge of seventeen trunks, valued at \$20,000, which it is alleged were shipped to Chicago from Clay Center, Kan., by Samuel Hayden to defraud creditors. Petition for receivership was filed in the district court. The trunks are in the possession of the police, having been seized Sunday night in a residence district.

VOLCANO SHOWS GREAT ACTIVITY.

Guadalajara, Mex., Jan. 21.—After a lull of several hours, the volcano Colima again showed great activity. The flow of lava was small but vast quantities of ashes and sand were erupted.

Despatches from Saltillo 54 miles from Colima, say that ashes are falling from there.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Washington, Jan. 21.—For Illinois—Fair Wednesday and probably Thursday; moderate variable winds.

Temperatures.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Current, maximum and minimum temperatures today were:

Current, High, Low.

Boston 32 48 42

Ruffalo 26 40 38

New York 24 40 38

New Orleans 60 60 56

Chicago 26 29 9

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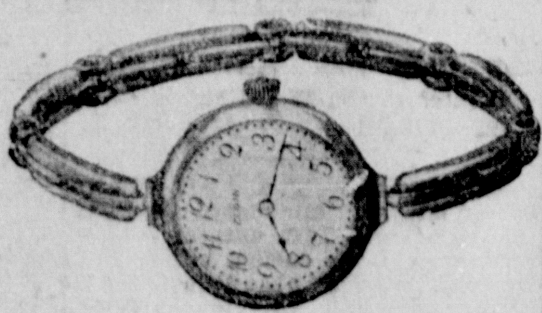
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Who Drive

The wonder is that some one did not begin to manufacture storm buggies long ago. They are inexpensive, but enable farmers and others who must drive about, no matter what the weather, to have warmth and comfort, no matter how cold the days or nights.

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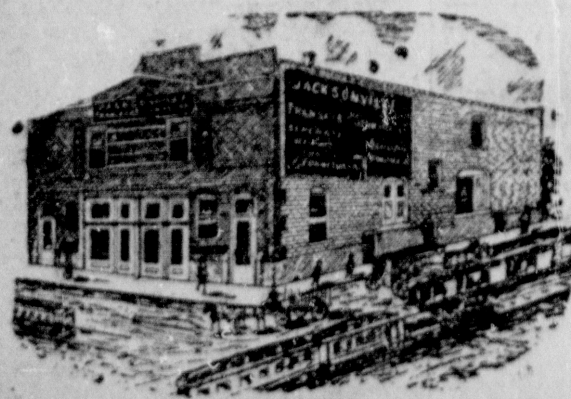
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**DR. W. B. YOUNG WILL MOVE
INTO NEW BANK BUILDING**

Expects to Occupy Room No. 603
Next Month—Many Visitors View
Beautiful Ice Sight From Top of
Building.

Dr. W. B. Young has made arrangements to occupy room No. 603 on the sixth floor of the new Ayers bank next month. Dr. Young has been a practicing dentist in Jacksonville for the past twelve years and is reputed one of the splendid workmen of the city. When he first came to Jacksonville he had an office over Gilbert's pharmacy, for five years was housed in the King building and is now located over Russell and Lyons. The new quarters so thoroughly equipped and so easy to reach, will afford the doctor an opportunity to continue his practice under the most promising surroundings.

A great many people took advantage of the opportunity yesterday to go to the top of the building and see the beautiful sight made from the ice on the trees. The public is cordially invited to use the elevators today and see for themselves. The privilege was enjoyed by the stockholders of the Clover Leaf Casualty company, who held a meeting in the city Tuesday, and they thought the ice sight was so grand that the young ladies employed in the office were given an opportunity to view the scene.

A noticeable feature about the bank is the usually large number of people from out of the city who are attracted by the new building and its beauty and arrangements elicits much praise for the builders.

Exceptional values in trousers at
Garland & Co.'s Clearance Sale.

PUBLIC SALE.

We will sell at our place, west of Diamond Grove cemetery and one mile from car line tomorrow Wednesday, 22nd, horses, cows, a large number of hogs and farming implements. Henry W. Theis and Austin Joyce.

**BIG REDUCTIONS IN COATS,
SUITS AND FURS AT HERMAN'S.**

B. Y. M. C. MEETING.

The B. Y. M. C. organization of Brooklyn M. E. church met in regular session Tuesday evening at the home of Harold Wright on Clay avenue. After the regular routine of business some appetizing refreshments were served. This was followed by a social time. Miss Nina Wright giving several musical numbers and Leonard Potter put on some "clown" stunts.

Those present were Paul Joaquin, Harold Wright, Leonard Potter, Lee Toomey, Innis Alkire, William Bartlett, T. B. Reeve, Miss Nina Wright and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 4 with Leonard Potter, corner of South East street and East Morton avenue.

CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER
I hereby announce myself a candidate for commissioner of road district 8. Election Tuesday March 4th. Charles S. Magill

\$1.50 shirts for \$1.15 at Garland & Co.'s sale.

MISSION STUDY CIRCLE MEETS.

The Mission Study circle of the Congregational church held its regular meeting Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irving at their home on Grove street. Miss Frances Wood gave an excellently prepared paper on "The Educational Movement in China," and it was followed by an interesting discussion. After the regular program a social hour was enjoyed when refreshments were served.

**MISS GOULD AND PIANCE
SECURE THEIR LICENSE.**

Tarrytown, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Miss Helen Gould and Finley J. Shepard, her fiancé, motored tonight from Lyndhurst, the Gould country home, to Irvington, to obtain their license to wed tomorrow at Lyndhurst. The night journey to Irvington was planned after the couple had waited in vain all day for crowds of townspeople to leave the vicinity of the town clerk's office in Tarrytown. Curious persons anxious to get a glimpse of the two, remained until after the marriage license bureau closed, and went home disappointed. Word of the waiting crowds was conveyed to Miss Gould and Mr. Shepard by telephone. It was arranged with Robert Dashwood, the clerk, that he should take the necessary license papers to his home in Irvington.

Miss Gould and Mr. Shepard, accompanied by Rev. Daniel Russell, pastor of the Irvington Presbyterian church, who will perform the ceremony tomorrow; Mrs. Russell and Louis J. Shepard, brother of Finley Shepard, arrived at Mr. Dashwood's home at 9 o'clock tonight. The bride couple answered the customary questions, received their license and drove away in their automobile.

**AMERICAN THOUGHT
LOST IS FOUND.**

Rome, Jan. 21.—Mrs. William Mansfield, an American whose disappearance has caused much anxiety to her friends and occasioned an investigation by the Italian authorities, has been found in Venice, according to a despatch to the Giornale D'Italia. Mrs. Mansfield arrived in Venice a fortnight ago and took a room at a boarding house which she left yesterday. The police came upon her lying unconscious in the street and removed her to a hospital. On regaining consciousness the woman said that she had been overcome by illness and had fainted. She remained in the hospital all night and left this morning.

Mrs. Mansfield left Salo on Lake Garda about two weeks ago after cashing an American check for \$60 at a bank. She said she was going to Verona, but there is no trace of her having stayed at any hotel in Verona. Apparently she went direct to Venice.

**CLOVER LEAF CASUALTY CO.
HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING**

Officers Make Reports and Organization is in Splendid Shape—Stockholders Name Directors.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Clover Leaf Casualty company was held at the central office of the company on East State street Tuesday. It was an enthusiastic gathering and all the reports of the officers revealed that the company was in splendid condition and growing in a most gratifying manner. The report of Secretary Rowe showed that the company had been licensed to transact business during the past twelve months in Missouri, Indiana and Ohio, and these states together with Illinois makes a territory most valuable to an insurance company. The business of the company exceeded \$125,000 in premiums and that during the past year the company paid claims approximating \$40,000.

The first meeting of the stockholders in the morning session was devoted to the election of the following directors: F. H. Rowe, G. H. Lane, C. Y. Rowe, Len Small, W. C. Bradish, C. J. Doyle, H. G. Rockwood, G. C. Rockwood, L. H. Clampt, R. Y. Rowe and S. L. Perry.

In the evening the board met and re-elected the following officers.

President—F. H. Rowe.

Vice-president and auditor—W. C. Bradish.

Secretary—C. Y. Rowe.

Medical Supervisor—Dr. H. L. Clampt.

President Rowe gave a comprehensive report as follows:

President's Report.

President F. H. Rowe, in a report to the directors, reviewed the work of the business organization and pointed out the sound footing on which the company stands. In part he said:

The value of our office organization in obtaining business in our constantly enlarging territory cannot be overestimated.

Our agency organization, consisting of 450 agents and collectors, under five experienced special men, is a well regulated business producing machine in Illinois and Missouri that is bound to do the same good work in other states. We have twelve thousand policies with an annual premium income of \$125,000.

Discusses Safety.

I wish to call your attention to a few matters that may be of interest to stockholders.

First: Loans. One hundred thousand dollars went to the insurance department in the form of cash or the same as that, a certificate of deposit in the Ayers National bank. That money has since been invested in Illinois real estate, mostly farm lands, at less than one-half valuation. These loans have all been approved by the Illinois insurance department. The income from this fund averages five and one-fourth per cent or fully one per cent more than could be realized from Illinois municipal or other bonds in which we are allowed to invest.

At the beginning of this year we are squared away and ready to push business in four great states of the middle west. I believe that our agency department under the direction of our secretary and some experienced special men is energetic enough to increase our policies and our premium income another 3 per cent before the close of 1913.

Our underwriting I believe to be safe and careful in its selection of risks. In this department, as well as in our claim department, we have the benefit of the entire time and experience of an able physician and surgeon, Dr. L. H. Clampt.

Our claim department has paid in the neighborhood of forty thousand dollars during the year, satisfactorily in the main to our claimants and with a loss percentage that will compare favorably with any health and accident company in the country.

Besides the directors a number of special agents were present as follows: David Kinna, Princeville; Lawrence Klink, Alton; D. C. Valle, Rochelle; Hugh Young, Bowen; Martin Jakle, Effingham; Phillip Schautz, Lexington; J. F. Gray, Lexington.

**THREE CONFESS IN
"ARSON TRUST" CASE**

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Three confessions were obtained today in the investigation of the so-called "Arson Trust." The names of the men were not made public.

Two who professed are business men who told the prosecutor that because of business reverses they consented to have their places fired when public adjusters pointed out to them how easy it would be to collect the insurance. The third man was a "freelance" who admitted setting the torch to the two buildings. The losses amounted to \$21,500.

The "freelance" also gave the names of adjusters whom he said employed him.

TELLS OF TRUST METHODS.

New York, Jan. 21.—William Swanson, now secretary of the Universal Film company, manufacturers of films in Chicago who are not allied with the combination, testifying in the suit against the "moving picture trust" to day described in detail how he alleged, the Motion Picture Patents company, in 1908-09 cut off his supply of films, notified his customers that he would not be able to supply films any longer, and by these methods forced him to discontinue business in Chicago, Omaha, New Orleans and other cities. He claimed that a business netting him \$100,000 annually dwindled to nothing because of the methods of the alleged trust.

The Y. M. C. A. basketball team will go to Griggsville tonight where they will play an alumni team of the High school of that place. The team will be composed of Gieseking, center Osborne and Johnson, forwards: McCracken and Waterfield, guards.

Mrs. F. A. DeFreitas and Mrs. William Gomes of Springfield are visiting Miss Jessie Vasconcellos, who is confined to her home by illness.

IS IT FISH YOU WANT?

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Fancy fresh smoked haddies, pound 15c
Fancy thick smoked halibut, pound 30c
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Red Oil in Steaks, finest salmon packed, 1-2 lb. flat cans, 2 for 35c
Pink and Cabot cheaper salmon 10c per can and up.
Fresh Herring, Marshall & Co's 1 lb. flat cans packed at Aberdeen Scotland, only 15c
Fresh Mackerel, Marshall & Co's 1 lb flat cans packed in Aberdeen Scotland, only 25c
Fresh Mackerel, 1 lb. flat cans packed by Macdonochie Bros., London, only 20c
Soused Mackerel, 1 lb. oval flat cans packed by A & M. Smith, Aberdeen Scotland, for only 25c
California Sardines, 1 lb. oval flat cans, tomato-mustard sauce or sauced, only 20c
Kipperd Herring 1-2 lb. oval flat cans, tomatoe sauce or plain, Marshall's imported 20c
Cove Oysters 2 lb tins, 10 oz. solid oysters, 2 cans 35c, also 10c can. "Monarch" Brand Norwegian Sardines, finest sardines packed. Pure Olive Oil, 2 cans 35c
Jenny Lind Brand Norwegian sardines elegant sardine packed, pure Olive Oil, 2 cans 25c
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Pharmacy Department

THING YOU SHOULD KNOW REGARDING TOILET PREPARATIONS.

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CITY AND COUNTY

John Killian is visiting with relatives in Peoria.

James Peore of Franklin was a city caller yesterday.

George Lowder was among the callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Foster of Centralia is visiting Jacksonville friends.

Henry Davis of Arenzville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Daniel Kinney of Franklin precinct made the city a call yesterday.

J. M. Halley left yesterday for a business trip to Corpus Christi, Texas.

George White of Franklin was among the callers in the city yesterday.

J. E. Welles of Beardstown was calling on Jacksonville people yesterday.

William Hammer of Springfield was a business caller in the city yesterday.

John Zulauf was transacting business in the city yesterday from Arenzville.

Moses Perry of Alexandria was transacting business in the city yesterday.

C. E. Wheeler of Palmyra was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Charles P. O'Donnell of Winchester was among the business visitors in the city.

Oren Thompson of Roodhouse was among the business men in the city yesterday.

A. J. Barnett of Hillview was calling on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Joseph Lynch was among the business visitors in the city yesterday from Chapin.

Charles Watson of Woodson was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

E. O. Mansfield of Franklin was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

George McKean of the Ashbury neighborhood was in the city yesterday on business.

Dr. J. H. Spencer of Murrayville was among the Tuesday business visitors in the city.

L. N. Ballard of White Hall a veteran of the civil war, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Elmer C. Bond and J. M. Rigor of Merritt were transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCullough of Riggsport were among the shoppers in the city Tuesday.

C. W. James, the veteran merchant of Little Indian, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stice of East State street have gone to Brownsville, Texas, for a ten days stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Watkins of Chandlerville were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

John L. Johnson is in Chicago attending the great furniture convention and automobile show.

Samuel Grammar of the Paylis bank was transacting financial business in the city yesterday.

Miss Hallie and Fannie Markham popular young ladies of Chapin were shoppers in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret Ryman, who recently returned from a professional visit in Hillview, has gone to Murrayville.

Miss Josephine Price of this city has gone to Chicago to make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Anna Lohman.

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\$3.00 Hats, \$1.50 and.....\$2.00
\$5.00 Hudson Seal Caps.....\$3.00
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\$2.00 Fur Caps.....\$1.00
All \$1.50 Caps.....75c
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Mrs. Charles Bader, residing east of the city, has gone to Monmouth for a visit at the home of her parents.

These wintry days feed your chickens chowder. Brook Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Smith, who were recently married in Chicago returned to Jacksonville Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stebbins expects to leave to day for Girard for a visit with the families of Dr. Hill and Roy Roach.

Rev. J. G. Kuppler went to Springfield Tuesday to attend the funeral services of Prof. Simon of Concordia college.

Prairie hay at Brook Mills.

Kenneth Skeens of Franklin and C. V. Ellmore of Ashland were among the Tuesday visitors at Passavant hospital.

James Cooksey and George Blackburn, both citizens of Lynnville precinct were attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

C. W. Bealmer of Sinclair was in the city yesterday but came by train as the roads are not suitable for the use of an automobile at present.

Corn, oats, hay and straw at Brook Mills.

Henry Perry and Son expected to start to day for Arkansas for the purpose of looking over the advantages offered by that state to such men as they are.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. King expect to leave this morning for Biloxi, Miss. where they will join Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fay and Mr. and Mrs. George S. Gay.

Buy your feed at Brook Mills.

A. J. Barnett, secretary of the Hartwell Drainage and Levee district of Greene county, was in the city yesterday on business.

Carl Owen of New York City is expected in Jacksonville to day, to attend the funeral services of his mother, Mrs. W. B. Owen, who died in Mexico, Mo.

Misses Lora Calhoun and Virgil Brewer of Franklin who have been spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Green on Webster avenue returned home to day.

Alfalfa hay at Brook Mills.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Sarah J. Cocking, 310 W. North street at 2 o'clock. The members are requested to be present.

Glenn Wood expected to end his visit with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wood and family on West College street to day and return to him home in Missoula, Montana.

Archie L. Hamel of Dubuque, Ia., formerly manager of the Health Office, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Heck on East College street.

Order your feed early from Brook Mills.

The popular millinery and ready to wear store of J. Herman is being fixed and decorated in fine style and will present an attractive appearance when completed. Paint and various adornments are being given it which will leave it very attractive.

Rev. Melvin Laird, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Marshfield Wis., was a visitor in the city Tuesday. His old home is at Griggsville Ill., and he has a number of friends in Jacksonville, having graduated from Illinois college with the class of 1902.

Miss Bessie R. Russell has returned to St. Louis where she is an instructor in the school for the deaf, Miss Martha T. Russell has returned to Boulder, Mont., where she is a teacher in the school for the blind, George S. Russell has returned to Helena, Mont., and Misses Anna and Eleanor Russell have returned to Chrystal Springs, Miss., all of them being called here on account of the death of their mother, Mrs. Louisa Taylor Russell.

Cleaning up sale, coats, suits, dresses, and furs, about 100 garments, all this season's high class models to close out this week at just half retail value.

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HAS BOOKED SEVERAL PLAYS.

Manager Hunt of the Grand opera house has booked several good attractions for the next few weeks of this season and Tuesday night gave out a list of the attractions that are to be seen here. The first of the list is the "Chocolate Soldier," and others are: "The Winning of the Widow," "Shepherd of the Hills," "Dustin Farnum in 'The Little Rebel,'" "Freckles," "Polly of the Circus," "The Divorce" with the same cast that played in Chicago; "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," "Madam X," "The Spring Maid," "Naughty Marietta," "Little Boy Blue," "The Girl at the Gate," which has enjoyed a run of over two hundred performances at the LaSalle theater in Chicago, and Louis Mann in "Elevating a Husband."

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR
MRS. MARY RANSON GROVES

Many Gather to Pay Last Tribute of Respect to the Departed—Sermon by Rev. J. W. Miller.

Impressive services were held for the late Mrs. Mary Ranson Groves, from the family residence, 234 Webster avenue Tuesday morning, at 10:30 o'clock in charge of Rev. J. W. Miller, pastor of Grace M. E. church, assisted by Rev. E. B. Houck of the West Jacksonville Circuit. There was a large assemblage of friends to pay last tribute of respect to one held in such high esteem.

Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Miss Stella Shuff, Miss Leana Hopper, Philip Read and J. W. Moore. The flowers were very beautiful and these were kindly cared for by Mrs. John R. Davis, Miss Nettie A. Hayden, Miss Lula Hay and Miss Zillah Ranson.

The remains were buried in Liberty cemetery and the bearers were all nephews of the deceased, Messrs. James T. Ranson, Homer Ranson, Charles Ranson, Elmer Ranson, Edward Ranson and Charles Watson.

Rev. Mr. Miller based his discourse on the first four verses of the 14th chapter of the gospel of John. These words of Christ are most beautiful and comforting, but best of all they are words of truth. Christ said: "Ye believe in God believe also in me." He meant that the disciples should accept his words as words of authority and eternal truth.

Here is a great vital thought that can be traced through the history of man in every age and clime. We have never found a tribe or nation of men who had not thought a tradition or superstition concerning the future homes of the Lord. The Egyptians embalmed the body in the belief that if it could preserve it would be the dwelling place of the soul in the future life. Oisicle of Plato became so enamored of the future life that he committed suicide to hasten his entrance there.

In the teachings of Christ, heaven is reality. He came forth from heaven and returned thither. He was seen there by Stephen, by John and Paul.

We know something of the inhabitants of heaven. They have visited this earth. We know more about them than we do of some tribes of people on the earth.

We are not ignorant of the employment of the inhabitants of heaven. It is not all singing songs and thumbing harps. There are cities to rule and empires to govern. There are great conquests to be made. There are vast fields for endeavor and knowledge.

These are conditions written over the gateway of that land. The selfish cannot enter there. Those who pour out life and love for human need and for the Kingdom of Christ will find an abundant entrance there. This was the great sustaining life of Sister Groves. The radiance of the heavenly life cast its light upon the pathway of her life with increasing power down to the end.

January white sale, discount on napkins, damasks, crashes, suitings, English long cloths, flaxons, piques, sheets, cases, white quilts; special values in laces, embroideries, muslin wear, combinations, skirts, corsets and lingerie waist.

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OBITUARY.

William A. Grote was born Feb. 9, 1847 at Herefordshire, England and died Jan. 18th, 1913 at 3:30 a. m. of pneumonia. He came to this country in 1881 and settled at Pisgah where he made his home until the year 1900 when he moved two miles north of Nortonville where he resided until his death. He was a carpenter by trade.

He was married in the year 1890 to Sarah A. Watkins who with one daughter, Mrs. Hattie Long, survives.

He was christened in the church of England, but when he came to this country united with the Union Baptist church at Pisgah, where funeral services will be held Monday at 11 a. m. in charge of Rev. Curry with interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Meet me at the basketball game at Strawn's hall tonight 8:15. J. H. S. vs. Routt college high.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Taylor, deceased. The undersigned, administrator of the estate of John Taylor, late of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Morgan county, at the court house in Jacksonville, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 21st day of January, A. D. 1913.

Luella Rimbey,
Administratrix.

Fast basketball game tonight, Routt college high vs. J. H. S. Game called at 8:15.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The remains of Mrs. W. B. Owen will arrive in the city this morning at 11:15 via the Alton, from Mexico Mo., and will be taken to the residence of her daughter Mrs. Clyde Martin, 230 Caldwell street. The remains will be accompanied by Mr. Owen and the children, Miss Edna, Mrs. Clyde Martin and Capt. Percy Owen. The funeral services will be conducted at 10 o'clock Thursday morning from the Martin residence in charge of Dr. A. B. Morey, assisted by Rev. H. L. Davis. Interment will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Harry P. Branser, Jacksonville, rural route No. 4, Golden Beatrice, Loughary, Arenzville, rural route No. 2.

WILLIAM M. WARREN DIES
AT SPRAY, NORTH CAROLINA

Prominent Banker of New Berlin Passes Away at Home of His Daughter Tuesday.

Miss Mary Price, of 112 Park street, received a message Tuesday evening from Spray, N. C., announcing the death of William M. Warren, who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Fraker, Tuesday.

Mr. Warren was a son of the late Col. William B. Warren, who resided in this city for a number of years. The deceased was in his eighty-sixth year and was a prominent banker of New Berlin, where he has resided for a number of years. For the past five years he has been making his home in North Carolina.

The remains will be brought to Springfield for interment.

HELD CANDY PULL.

The Christian Endeavor of the Congregational Church held an old fashion candy pull at the church Tuesday evening. About twenty members were present and a very delightful time was spent with games and music, popping corn and pulling taffy.

BROWN BUSINESS COLLEGES

CONTRACT TRANSFER FILED.

The contract of transfer between H. E. Read, R. H. Peck and G. W. Brown was filed Monday in the circuit court records. The contract calls for the transfer of the business colleges now owned and managed by G. W. Brown in Davenport, Rock Island, Moline, Galesburg, Muscatine, Jacksonville, Peoria, Decatur, Bloomington, Terre Haute, Danville, Peoria Business College, Home Study, Book Department, Centralia, Marian, East St. Louis, Ill., and four schools in St. Louis, Mo.

The contract further provides for the equal division of all salaries and commissions which may be derived from these schools by H. E. Read and R. H. Peck or from all schools that may be established during the life of this contract. The salaries and commissions are as follows: H. E. Read, \$2,400; R. H. Peck, \$1,200.

You can't afford to stay at home tonight. Routt college high basketball team plays J. H. S.

NORTHMINSTER REVIVAL.

Interest Grows During Last Week of Protracted Meetings.

The last week of the revival at Northminster church is proving one of great spiritual uplift. Last night another large audience was present and the chorus choir was in charge of Rev. W. E. Spoons. The evangelist, Rev. W. A. Bodell sang a solo entitled "Hallelujah, What a Savior."

The evangelist preached from the text Matthew 27-22, "What shall I do then with Jesus, call him Christ." It was a splendid discourse and many illustrations of a striking and impressive character were used in driving home the force of the text.

Some real bargains at Garland & Co.'s Clearance Sale.

HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB.

Miss Gillette Addresses Meeting at Illinois Woman's College.

"The Household Science Club" met at Harker Hall Tuesday afternoon. Miss Gillette talked on the subject: "Keeping Well vs. Getting Well." She demonstrated that pure air and the proper foods were the chief requisites for a healthy mind and body. She strongly emphasized the importance of vegetables and fruits as foods on account of the mineral salts, they supply, properly balanced luncheon was prepared and served by Miss Gillette assisted by Miss Campbell and Miss Florence Taggart. The menu follows:

Sweet breads in limbed cases, duchess potatoes, celery salad, tomato aspic, cheese sticks, Rose apples and fairies.

This was one of the most interesting and instructive meetings the club has ever enjoyed.

Basketball J. H. S. vs. Routt college high school, Strawn's hall 8:15.

GRAND OPERA

HOUSE DECORATED.

A force of men under C. S. Martin is busy redecorating the lobby and office of the Grand opera house and are making it look like new. Various colored paints are applied to the walls and ceilings and the whole is going to make the place look vastly better.

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PROBATE COURT NEWS.

Estate George H. Hamman. Petition for probate of will. Entry of appearance of all heirs and legatees. No objections filed. Proof heard of d. execution of will offered and same admitted to probate as last will and testament of George H. Hamman, deceased.

Estate of George H. Hamman. Petition for letters testamentary. Petition heard and allowed and ordered that letters testamentary issue to George Edward Hamman without bond.

SEE THE NEW SPRING MILLINERY AT HERMAN'S.

CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE.

The high school basketball tournament to be held in this city the last of February is creating considerable interest among the lovers of the sport. A championship committee has been formed consisting of Principal W. A. Gore, Coach Buland, Mayor George W. Davis, William Alcott, H. A. Brewer, W. T. Harmon and Paul Fritchey.

Some dandy overcoats left to choose from at Garland & Co.'s sale.

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75c 26-inch fancy Silk Marquisette39c
75c 27-inch fancy Faille Silks at, yard49c
50c 27-inch plain Faille Silks, at yard33c
69c 22-inch fancy Silks, yard39c
48c 27-inch silk and cotton Marquisette25c
48c 27-inch silk and cotton Crepe de Chine25c
39c 27-inch silk and cotton rough suitings19c
\$1.00 28-inch Corduroy, black only55c
50c 28-inch Corduroy, black and white35c
50c 26-inch Velveteen, Copenhagen only35c

Wool Dress Goods Tagged

\$2.00 54-inch Whitecoats at, yard\$1.39
\$1.75 54-inch White Serge, black hair line\$1.19
\$1.75 54-inch Whitecoats reduced to\$1.39
\$1.50 54-inch Storm Serge, black and tan\$1.19
\$1.25 50-inch White Serge, black line95c
\$1.00 42-inch White Serge, black line75c

One lot of dress goods consisting of 54-inch Cravenettes, 54-inch Suitings, 50-inch Cloakings, original price \$1.00 to \$1.50; at one price69c

60c 36-inch White Bedfordcord49c
60c 42-inch White Wool Batiste49c
36-inch all-wool Storm Serges49c
36-inch all-wool Batistes49c
One lot of 50c fancy Dress Suitings, also some light Suitings, sold for 75c; one price35c

10 yards Hill Bleached Muslin for.....79c

28 inch Percale, darks and lights, yard.....5c

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Nothing so adds to the zest of the dinner as a delightful salad. A fruit salad is the choicest of them all if it be properly made and the ingredients are the best. We suggest that you try this very choice receipt and if you do not decide that the salad is the best you ever tasted, then we miss our guess.

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One can Richelieu Peaches sliced. One can Richelieu sliced Hawaiian Pineapple, cut small. One Apple diced. Four Richelieu Marrons (Chestnuts) chopped. Two pieces Richelieu Stem Ginger chopped. Half cup chopped nuts. Three tablespoons Richelieu Salad Dressing. Richelieu Salad Cherries or Sliced Apricots may be used instead of Peaches.

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SHOE SALE!

We are mad at the weather man, and in order to get even with him for not giving us any winter weather we are going to place our entire winter stock of shoes on sale, Thursday, January 22, at prices that will astonish you and every one else. This sale is for cash only and at the prices we offer our shoes we cannot allow goods to be taken in approval. Money cheerfully refunded if you are not entirely satisfied with your purchase.

We Quote a Few of Our Many Bargains

We would suggest that you come early and choose your shoes before our stock is broken. We have plenty of sizes now, but we will not revise our stock when they are sold, because we want money and room, for our spring stock when it arrives.

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These shoes are made in any leather and any style you may want. All this season's buy.

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Howard & Foster \$4.50 Shoes Now \$3.45
Howard & Foster \$4.00 Shoes Now 3.30
Weber Bros. \$4.00 Shoes Now 3.00
Weber Bros. \$3.50 Shoes Now 2.50
Good wear \$3.00 Shoes Now 2.30

These shoes are Gunmetal, Tans, and Vici, lace or button, new lasts and every pair his season's buy.

Misses' Shoes

R. P. Smith's \$2.25 Shoes Now \$1.90
R. P. Smith's \$2.00 Shoes Now 1.75
R. P. Smith's \$1.75 Shoes Now 1.50
Peters Shoe Co., \$1.50 Shoes Now 1.35
Stern Auer & Co., \$1.50 Shoes Now 1.30
Stern Auer & Co., \$1.25 Shoes Now 1.15

Every pair this year's goods and a chance to save loads of money.

Boys Shoes

R. P. Smith's \$2.50 Shoes Now \$2.00
R. P. Smith's \$2.00 Shoes Now 1.75
McElwains \$1.75 Shoes Now 1.50
Got'em \$1.75 Shoes Now 1.35

Small boys shoes in proportion.
These shoes are mostly Gunmetal, a few Vici and cut on those lasts the boys all like.

Protest against putting cattle and meats upon the free list was voiced by S. H. Cowan of Fort Worth, Tex., as spokesman for the cattle industry west of the Mississippi. Mr. Cowan said that such a plan, if adopted, would mean a flood of cheaper meats from the South American ranges and pictured ruin of the industry in Texas. He urged the committee to maintain preferential in the American markets.

"Didn't all the Texas Democrats in the house vote for free meats last session?" asked Representative James of Kentucky.

"Yes," said Mr. Cowan, "and all of them were re-elected."

"Then you are going counter to the vote of a state?"

"No," replied Mr. Cowan, "but the Democrats in Texas always vote the Democratic ticket regardless of such matters, their allegiance to the party being too strong to do otherwise."

Panic at Any Time.
That it is not unreasonable but wholly in accordance with past experience to expect "a financial panic similar to the one in 1907 at some time in the future," was the declaration of Representative Carter Glass of Virginia, chairman of the subcommittee of the house committee on banking and currency in an address tonight at the convention of the National Chamber of Commerce. No one could tell, Mr. Glass said when such a financial disaster would come but he declared "there are symptoms that should not go unobserved."

"I would not commit to any definite prediction as to a recurrence of the trouble in 1907," Mr. Glass said, "but I do say that it would be the height of folly for us to defer action until it is forced upon us by the imminence of panic."

Fischer Testifies.
With a lengthy examination of Secretary Fischer of the Interior department the house Indian affairs committee to day concluded its investigation of the controversy between the secretary, deposed members of the tribal council of the Osage Indian and the Uncle Sam Oil company over leases to Indian Oil lands granted by the deposed council to the Uncle Sam company. Secretary Fischer was emphatic in his opposition to the granting of the leases to the Uncle Sam company and caustic in his criticisms of the conduct of the company in procuring the leases.

While the secretary was testifying the United States court here dismissed an application for a writ of mandamus that would force him to reinstate the deposed officials of the Indian tribe. The court held that the law conferred on the secretary power to "remove the tribal chiefs and council for good cause."

WILL LOOK FOR EFFICIENCY RATHER THAN POLITICS

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 21.—Efficiency in public service and the merit system rather than partisan politics will be the basis upon which President-elect Wilson will make his appointments to office, indicated today.

Governor Wilson had occasion to declare himself in this connection when a delegation of thirty men representing various labor interests made an earnest plea for the appointment of a Democrat to fill the state commissionership of labor now held by a Republican. The president-elect told the delegation he recognized the force of their argument that labor should be represented in the government by one who knew its interests, but he saw no reason to displace the incumbent, Col. Bryant, who had performed his duties faithfully and efficiently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fairbank of Sacramento, Calif., were guests over night at the home of his sister, Miss Marion Fairbank. Mr. Fairbank is employed by the Producers Fruit Co., and is a former student of Illinois college. He states that the recent cold snap in California ruined the orange crop worse than the papers reported. They will leave today for Chicago.

LAD SHOT BY BROTHER DIES OF HIS WOUND

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 21.—McKinley Morris, 14 years old shot by his brother, Lawrence, 16, at their home in Kansas City, Kansas, three weeks ago died tonight as the result of his wound. Lawrence is in the county jail. The shooting followed a wrestling match in which the boys engaged. The younger boy, who was the victor ran from the house laughing. Lawrence picked up a rifle and fired, the bullet entering his brother's spine.

The parents insisted that the shooting was accidental.

AGED NEGRESS DEAD.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 21.—Mrs. Bettie Horton, a negress, said to be 106 years old, was found dead in bed by her granddaughter, Mrs. Lena Blue, at her residence here today. Senility was the cause of death. Several articles of food after which she had gone were found in the bed.

REGGAR STARS CHICAGO COAL MAN.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—A beggar tonight stashed and seriously wounded James Maher, a coal dealer, when refused a nickel.

"Give me five cents," demanded the stranger, approaching Maher on the street.

Maher refused the request and the beggar drawing a knife, stabbed the coal man several times in the neck, once in the hand and twice in the right shoulder. Pedestrians found Maher lying in the street, unconscious.

His assailant escaped.

ESTABLISH WORLD'S RECORD.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 21.—The Rochester team in the state bowling league tonight established a world's record for three games by spilling 3,497 pins. In Chicago, March 15, 1906, the Howard Majors rolled 3,358. Syracuse was Rochester's opponent tonight. Not a Rochester man fell below 200.

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suits go in our clearance sale. No matter if you are short and fat or tall and slim we guarantee to fit you. Sizes 33 to 50. Come in and look over our HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX line of suits and over coats

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I have handled and sold coffee now for years. Have tried all blends, and kinds, and at last I have discovered a combination of three different coffees, that by mixing them together in their right proportion I have now a blend of coffee that could not give better satisfaction at any price, even if I would ask 50c per pound. Its the flavor, strength and amber color. However I will retain a low price. You will say, oh, that's every corner grocer's talk; they all say we have the best. Well seeing is believing, and tasting proves it all. I will guarantee that you can not duplicate this blend of coffee at from 5 to 10c per pound from the other fellow—and if you will try a sample pound and it does not prove as I say I will not charge you one cent for it. We give you all coffee—we can't afford to give any premiums or presents. If we did we would have to charge more for the coffee. A trial is all we ask and the price is only 30c PER POUND.

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Use Buying Judgment

When you order meat for your table be careful to have just what you want selected. Some cuts of meat look well but have very little nutriment in them. Others possibly do not equal them in appearance but reach the high mark in food value. If you tell us what you want it is our pleasure to try and select for you meat that will come up to your requirements. Nothing can take the place of meat on the family table and it is no more costly than other eatables if good selections are made. We are ready to select steaks or roasts or boiling pieces for you and then to make prompt delivery.

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Starts Saturday Jan. 18th-ends Saturday Jan. 25th. During this sale a discount of 20 per cent will be allowed on the following lines:

Cut Glass, Pickard Hand Painted China, Brass Goods, Jardinieres, Umbrella Stands, Art Pottery Vases including Louwelse, Claywood, Dickens Pottery, etc., Japanese China, Bavarian and German China Fancy Pieces, Decorated Lamps, Any article on our 10, 25, 35, 50, 95 and \$1.00 tables.

Ask to see the \$4.74 12-piece toilet sets.

Ask to see the \$3.48 42-piece Dinner set.

Ask to see the \$6.98 80-piece Dinner set.

Extra special, 100 piece White and Gold Haviland China dinner set \$60.00 value, this sale \$48.00

Rayhill China Store

ROOT CONDEMNS PRESENT POLICY

(Continued From Page One.)

rights over the canal, because it owned the canal zone, constituted a violation of the express guarantee of the United States to Great Britain.

"Our Territory in Trust," he declared. "Treaty or no treaty, we have long asserted that the nations of Central America had no right to debar the world from its right of passage across the isthmus. Upon that we based the justice of our entire action which resulted in our having the canal zone."

The United States had preached arbitration for years, Senator Root declared, and had besought the nations of the world, "in season and out of season, to enter into arbitration agreements for the settlement of all disputes."

"Are we Pharisees?" he cried. "Have we been insincere and false? Have we been pretending in all these lone years of declaration? Are we ready now to admit that our country through its presidents and congress have been guilty of false pretenses of humbug of talking to the galleries of uttering fine words to secure applause?"

"The instant that an interest is at stake we propose to falsify every declaration, every promise by the arrogant insistence that, we alone can determine the interpretation of this treaty; that we will refuse to abide by the treaty."

"And is the game worth the candle. It is worth our while to remain in a position, to maintain which we may be driven to repudiate our principles, our professions and our agreements for the purpose of conferring a money benefit at the expense of the treasury of the United States on the most highly and absolutely protected special industry in the United States—our coast-wise shipping?"

Army Appropriation Bill.

Carrying appropriations aggregating \$93,830,177, the annual army appropriation bill was passed by the house late today.

Representative Shirley of Kentucky succeeded in having an amendment added to the measure, limiting the price to be paid by the government to private manufacturers for gun powder.

The amendment provides that not more than 53 cents a pound shall be paid for powder for use in cannon, and not more than 65 cents for small arms powder. Mr. Shirley said that the government plants could not turn out all of the powder needed and that the war and navy departments had been buying considerable quantities from the DuPont Powder company, paying 60 and 75 cents a pound respectively for cannon and small arms powder.

Representative Helm of Kentucky introduced an amendment to strike out an appropriation of \$500,000 for marine barracks in the Philippines, declaring such an expenditure untimely in view of the fact that the incoming Democratic administration was committed to Philippine independence. The amendment was ruled out on a point of order.

For Panama-Pacific Exposition.

A favorable report on a bill introduced by Representative Rodenberg of Illinois to provide for government participation in the Panama-Pacific International exposition at San Francisco in 1915 was unanimously agreed to today by the house committee on industrial arts and exhibitions. The measure would appropriate \$2,000,000.

Mind Not Made Up.

Before deciding how he will act upon the immigration bill pending in congress, President Taft will give a hearing to some prominent Jews opposing its passage. The president has not made up his mind as to the merits of this measure. He is anxious that all be given an opportunity for hearing and as soon as the bill is sent him he will arrange for a hearing in the white house.

Discuss "Free Meats."

"Free meat," proposed by the house Democrats at the last session of congress but blocked by a presidential veto, was indicated as part of the extra session of congress tariff revision program at the hearing before the house committee on ways and means today. Members of the committee emphasized the majority sentiment in favor of free meats and there was a strong trend toward free cattle, in accord with the general policy of Democrats last year to transfer the necessities of life to the free list, including free sugar and free lumber.

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\$27.50 and \$25 Hirshwickwire coats now - - - **16.75**
\$22 and \$20 Hirshwickwire coats now - - - **13.75**
\$18 and \$15 convertible and shawl collar coats now - **10.75**
\$12.50 and \$10 convertible 52 inch coats now - - - **7.75**
\$8.50 and \$7.50 convertible 52 inch coats now - - - **5.50**

\$30 and \$27.50 Hirshwickwire suits now : - **\$19.75**
\$25 and \$22.50 Hirshwickwire suits now. - - - **16.75**
\$20 Hirshwickwire suits now - - - **13.75**
\$18 and \$15 all hand tailored suits now - - - **\$10.75**
\$12.50 and and \$10 fine all wool suits now - - - **7.75**

All boys' Overcoats at one-half price.

All boys' and children's Suits at just one-half price.
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TELLS OF AMERICAN CHARGE MADE ON CHAPULTEPEC

Time Stained Letters Owned by Well Known Decatur Citizen are Greatly Prized.

(Decatur Herald).
Brother, you doubtless are a Democrat, but I trust if Gen'l Scott is run for the presidency you will vote for him; for my sake vote for him. I am a Democrat myself, but Gen'l Scott gets my vote, if I am allowed one, and he will get four out of five of the whole army. Don't let politics have anything to do with your voting for President.

The man who wrote this was a young soldier in the Mexican war of 1848, John Hezikiah Saxton, an uncle of Justice J. L. Saxton of Decatur. He was seated on a table in the palace in the City of Mexico, and wrote to his brother, Edward N. Saxton, of Bristol, Conn. Justice Saxton's father, on the official paper of the palace. The sheets now are yellowed with age and worn by time, but the letter, which is one of the most cherished possessions of Justice Saxton, breathes all the fire and patriotic ardor of the stormy days in which it was composed. It can hardly be read without emotion.

Battle Never to Be Forgotten.
The baptism of fire through which Saxton's regiment had passed was still fresh in his mind. Chapultepec and its horrors rose before him as he wrote.

"Oh, brother, it was a bloody fight, a battle that your brother will never forget. Although my life was spared, many, I say, many, a man found death there. Oh, brother, could I see you and talk with you I could tell you how it was, but my feelings will not let me write it, and if they would, all the paper in this table would not hold it."

Saxton enlisted in Abbeville, S. C. in January, 1847, nine months prior to the date of his letter and he describes his journey through the south to the gulf, across to Mexico by vessel. Like many a soldier he left a sweetheart at home, for he explains:

Left a Girl Behind.
"I volunteered . . . by the name of John Hezikiah Saxton, aged 27 years, (the cause of my name was so that I might get my letters more certain from one particular young lady, and I did not want her to know my age, for I had told her that I was a young man, and if anything should turn up that my life was taken, you must apply for my land in that name and age (160 acres every volunteer is entitled to). Later on Saxton begs to be excused from not writing more, as he must "write to my little 'gal'". These are the only references to a romance; which did not culminate in a marriage, why, Justice Saxton does not know. His uncle lived and died a bachelor.

Stopped in "Place Called Atlanta."
The regiment received its colors at Charleston, and departed by train Jan. 2. The narratives continue:

"We took the cars the same night in Augusta and at night arrived in a place called Atlanta. (This is Atlanta, Ga., now possessing a population of 50,000). . . . We arrived in Mobile on the 14th of January and left Mobile on the 16th of the same month for the Island of Lobos, Mex." Save for a small fire on the steamboat and a slight squall the passage was uneventful. It was not until the 9th of March that the troops received orders to land at Vera Cruz, and the landing is graphically described in these words:

Landing at Vera Cruz.
"Oh, brother, never will I forget the sight. Every heart beat high and now (we were) in sight of the second Gibraltar in the world and

they (the Mexicans) trying to reach us with their shots from the castle 'De Union and our little 'Spitfire' (an American gunboat) sailing up towards the city and exchanging shots with the castle. Oh, she is a brave! May her officers and crew receive praise from our government for her conduct on that occasion.

"About sunset the boats got to shore and officers and all jumped into the water, waist deep and waded ashore. Oh, Ed, such deafening cheers from army and navy when the army put their foot on Mexican soil."

Saxton says that he had just gotten over an attack of the mumps, but he suffered no ill effects from the wetting. Spirits were up and every man would have braved death. "Victory or Death," he adds, "this was our motto."

How Chapultepec Was Stormed.

The siege of Vera Cruz was uneventful. Scott predicted that he would take it without losing ten men, and only nine Americans were killed. With his little force of 6,000 Scott pushed on through the valley toward the capital, fighting four battles, which reduced his numbers sadly. Chapultepec, the best protected Mexican stronghold, was stormed September 13, "a day to try men's souls," Saxton writes. The Americans were forced to leap or wade through ditches, and while crossing one of these Saxton was struck by a spent ball on the knee pan and temporarily crippled, but he was able to keep on. He was later promoted for gallantry from third to first corporal.

"Oh, Ed, you could have seen the fire of each army while you were crossing those ditches, you would have thought you were in a battle. The men fell all around you. Once in a while a ball would strike you in the canteen, and then your gun and then the eagle on our cartridge boxes and the men would fall by the force of the ball, and then the grape and canister falling all around you, with a hissing noise—but, brother, the day after the battle is a mourner. . . . here a friend and there a friend who the day before was all life and gaily. It makes my heart sick to think about or write about it."

The long letter contains not a reference to a certain quartermaster-general, who, though he honorably might have kept in the rear, was found in the forefront at Chapultepec, and every other battle but one in that short and bloody war. John Saxton little realized that among the ditches with him on that 13th day of September was one who later was to be the director of armies in a great civil conflict and to win the highest civil honor within the gift of the people.

Saxton doubtless voted for General Scott for president as he expected to, but his death, which occurred in Hartford, Conn., in 1859, prevented his witnessing or participating in the war that was so soon to come, or from voting for its first hero, Ulysses S. Grant.

MAY GIVE RENO

A "SOLAR PLEXUS"
Carson City, Nev., Jan. 21.—A poll of the new Nevada legislature which has convened indicates that a majority of the members are in favor of amendments to the present lax divorce laws which are responsible for the Reno "divorce mill" industry. An amendment to the present law will be presented fixing the period of residence at one year and possibly containing a provision which will not allow the decree to become effective before another year.

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Best Lead Drawn Double Galvanized. Stay wire three wraps on top wire and same size as line wire. Gay's Reliable Hardware.

ADMINISTRATION BOARD HAS ISSUED PROCLAMATION

Gives Notice Required By Law Setting Forth That State is Now Sole Custodian of the Insane.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 21.—The state board of administration today issued a proclamation under the terms of the law creating it, notifying the state that it has made room in state hospitals for all the legally committed insane in the state and that from the date of the proclamation the state becomes in fact the sole custodian of its insane. The proclamation releases the counties of the state of all charge and expense for the care of the insane, an amount aggregating annually several hundred thousand dollars. Heretofore the county has paid for the clothing of all indigent insane, sent to state hospitals. This expense is now assumed by the state. To offset this loss of revenue the state has passed a law which requires the estates or the relatives of insane to pay for the cost of their maintenance in the state hospital. This law is now being put into operation but so far has not produced as much revenue as the state will lose.

There are still left in the county almshouses of the state about 200 people who are considered insane but have never been legally committed. The board will at once notify the several counties that they must take steps to commit all such inmates and have them removed to state hospitals. Most of these patients are old people who have become demented since entering the poor house and being harmless have been permitted to remain. All the legally committed insane including the 3,000 in the Cook county hospital for insane have all been taken over by the state. The complete state care act was passed in 1909 and followed the action taken by New York and Massachusetts. The care of the insane by the state is now being assumed by many other states throughout the country.

ROADS CASE GOES INTO

HANDS OF THE JURY
In the case of the People vs. Samuel Roads alias Lou Roads on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses the taking of the testimony in the case and the arguments for and against were finished yesterday afternoon and the jury retired to form their verdict. The instructions given by Judge Brockhouse to the jury demanded that if a verdict was reached during the night that it should be sealed and delivered to the court this morning.

The jury is composed of the following: William Murphy, W. B. Rimbey, John W. Eilers, E. O. Samples, Elmer Smith, Fred Taylor, Frank Miller, C. E. Criswell, Irvin Coulson, Henry Eckhoff, N. L. McGinnis and S. O. Shuff.

QUICK RELIEF

FOR RHEUMATISM.
George W. Koon, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began to use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by L. P. Alcott, druggist.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted during the illness and after the death of dear husband and father and also for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Peter Vasey and family.

TO PERPETUATE THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Lorimer and Associates Incorporate Organization With this Avowed Purpose.

For the purpose of perpetuating the principles of the republican party and opposing the initiative and referendum. William Lorimer, William Hale Thompson, Frederick Lundin and others have filed with the secretary of state an application for articles of incorporation for the Republican Club of Illinois.

The object of the organization, as set forth in detail is: "To perpetuate the principles of the republican party as promulgated in the platforms adopted in its national conventions of 1912 inclusive; to oppose the initiative, referendum and recall of judicial decision and every other policy which proposes a change in the fundamental principles of the government inaugurated by the fathers and consecrated by the blood of its sons; and to afford recreation, education and fellowship for its members."

Richard M. Sullivan of Springfield is one of the trustees. The list of trustees is as follows: William Lorimer, William Hale Thompson and Frederick Lundin of Chicago for seven years; Len Small, Kankakee; Harry B. Word, DuQuoin, and Cicero J. Lindly, Greenville, for six years; Richard M. Sullivan, Springfield; William J. Cooke, and Joseph E. Bidwell of Chicago, and five years; Eugene Pike, E. W. Beedle and David J. Frank of Chicago, for four years; Charles Lederer, James M. Kittelman and E. J. Magersstadt, of Chicago for two years; Elbridge Haney, Edwin A. Alsen and M. J. Faherty, Chicago for one year.

AFTER SICKNESS.

How to Recover Strength.
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New York, Jan. 21.—The American National Chess Masters' tournament, for which arrangements have been making for several months, is under way in this city. The event is regarded as the most important of its kind that has taken place on this side of the Atlantic since the great international tournament was held at Cambridge Springs nearly ten years ago. Janowski, the French champion; Capablanca, the Cuban champion; Marshall the champion of the United States; Oscar Chajes of Chicago and a number of other chess experts of wide reputation are among the contestants.

GOULD WEDDING ATTRACTS ATTENTION

New York, Jan. 21.—In striking distinction from the previous weddings in the Gould family, which invariably have been marked by the most lavish display—second marriages excepted—will be tomorrow's ceremony uniting in marriage Miss Helen M. Gould, the third child and eldest daughter of the late "wizard of finance," and Pinley J. Shepard. The wedding as already announced, will take place at Lyndhurst, Miss Gould's country seat in Tarrytown. Despite the desire of both parties that the wedding should attract as little public attention as possible, it is doubtful if any event of its kind in recent years has attracted more attention. The immense fortune possessed by Miss Gould, the prominence into which she has been brought by her many philanthropies and the generally accepted belief that she preferred a life of single blessedness—all have helped to make her wedding a topic of lively discussion among all classes.

The party of invited guests who will go from this city to Tarrytown by special train to attend the wedding will be a small but distinguished one. It will include several members of the Gould family who are not already at Lyndhurst. Mrs. Russell Sage will be a member of the party as will also several well-known clergymen and educators who have been closely associated with Miss Gould in her work of charity and philanthropy.

An orchestra of forty pieces has been engaged to provide an elaborate musical program, but otherwise the wedding will be simple in its details. It is understood that the invited guests number fifty or sixty, all of them relatives or intimate friends of Miss Gould or Mr. Shepard. The ceremony, which is to take place shortly after the hour of noon, will be followed by a breakfast. George Gould will give his sister in marriage and her little nieces, daughters of Frank J. Gould, will be flower girls.

ANNIVERSARY OF

LAKE MYSTERY.
Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 21.—To-day marks the eighteenth anniversary of the loss of the steamer Chicora, a mystery of the great lakes that time has failed to solve. On the night of January 20, 1895, the steamer cleared from Milwaukee with a cargo of flour. The craft was bound for St. Joseph, across Lake Michigan, but she never reached port, nor was any trace of her ever found. She foundered with all hands but in what manner is not definitely known. The sunken steamer has never been located. "It is the supposition, however, that she lies somewhere off the south end of the lake, possibly some five miles distant from shore. When the loss became known the owners of the Chicora offered \$50,000 to any person playing a buoy over the sunken steamer, but the reward has never been claimed."

WANT TARIFE TO STICK.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Louisiana and Texas rice growers, representing the American Rice Growers' Association, told the members of the House Ways and Means Committee why a reduction in the tariff on rice would mean the destruction of an industry which has been developed after a discouraging fight against adverse conditions. With a limited amount of protection, such as exists at present, the delegates declared that rice could be raised in the temperate zone and thousands of acres, unsuited for other purposes, could be utilized. Due to the shorter growing season and the losses from adverse weather it was stated to be impossible to compete with rice grown by cheap labor in tropical countries.



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COURT AGAIN DECLINES TO APPROVE BOND

ATTORNEY MILLER FINDS SECURITIES ARE INSUFFICIENT

District Attorney Later Refuses to Accept Sureties Offered in Cases of Ryan, Shupe and Houlihan For Ryan Alone—Bernhardt Released.

CHICAGO, JAN. 21.—For the second time the United States circuit court of appeals today declined to approve bonds submitted for the release of Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Iron Workers' union, R. H. Houlihan and William Shupe of Chicago, convicted of conspiracy in connection with the illegal transportation of dynamite.

District Attorney Miller of Indianapolis advised the court he had inspected the sureties and found them insufficient.

An effort was made late in the day to induce Miller to accept the sureties offered in the cases of Ryan, Shupe and Houlihan for Ryan alone. Miller refused to do this unless \$25,000 more was scheduled. This would make the total amount of Ryan's surety \$140,000. An effort will be made tomorrow to complete the bond.

Bonds of William Bernhardt of Cincinnati for \$10,000 later were accepted by Judge Baker. A mandate then was issued ordering the prisoner's release. The bonds tendered for Fred J. Money of Duluth, who is under sentence of one year, were returned because the liability of the sureties were limited to the stipulation in the bond.

EAST UNION.

Mrs. Alice McPherson who was taken to the Jacksonville hospital was reported better Saturday.

Squire Cooley died at his home Jan. 15, aged 86 years, he was taken to Virden for burial.

Iona Hawkins and Hazel Bridges spent Sunday with Etta and Amy Jones.

Tommy Israel spent Sunday with Lester Hawkins.

Edith and Austin McPherson took dinner Sunday at Thos. Cooley's.

Lois Cain spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Alden Johnson.

Flem Cooley helped Geo. Jones butcher Friday.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters remained unclaimed in the postoffice at Jacksonville, Ill., for the week ending Jan. 14, 1913 as follows:

Armstrong, Mrs. Jessie
Bailey, J. N.
Barker, Hal P.
Brooks, Thos.
Butler, Mrs.
Cameron, Mrs. W. P.
DeFreitas, George
Drue, James
Elliot, Wm. P.
Everett, Mrs. C. W.
Fahey, Mr.
Faulkner, Mrs. J.
Felows, Murl
Frettag, William (2)
Gedney, Eldon R.
Graham, Miss Etna
Grey, Miss Ruth
Greer, C. G.
Gunn, Mrs. A. L.
Harlow, Plenie
Harwood, H. S. & Bros.
Hayden, G. H.
Houak, Louis
Hoover, Albert
Hutter, Joseph
Lerino, Louis
Lingren, Aug.
Logan, P. J.
McKinney, B. H.
McShury, George
Meny, William H.
Monroe, Mrs. H. L.
Moore, Mrs. J.
Myer, Mr.
Newman, Mrs. Harry
Nunis, Tony
Paulding, Ed. N.
Pierson, Axel
Quillion, Mrs. Nellie
Reed, Randall
Robinson, Miss Florence (2)
Roney, Miss Edna
Roy, Rollit
Sanders, Sadie
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Smith, Miss Lorin
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Please call at the postoffice for these letters as they may be for another person by the same name.

To avoid delay in delivery, have your mail addressed to street and No. P. O. box, general delivery or R. F. D. No. Advise correspondents of your correct address.

Orders for changes of address should be in writing and signed by the person whose mail is affected.

J. J. REVE, P. M.

GOOD ROADS A PAYING INVESTMENT.
Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 21.—Statistics made public yesterday by the State Road Commission show that the State of Alabama has been reimbursed fully for its expenditures previous to two years ago for good roads. Increase in property values along the improved highways has made higher assessments possible and increasing development has at the same time added many names to the tax list.

OBITUARY.

The following obituary was read by Rev. E. B. Houck: Peter, son of John and Hannah Vasey, was born at Seabury, near Scarborough, Yorkshire, England, Aug. 29, 1845, and passed into the Great Beyond at 4:15 o'clock on the morning of Jan. 17, 1913, being 67 years, 4 months and 8 days old. He was one of a family of seven children, all whom crossed the dark river ahead of him, except one brother, John, who resides four miles west of the city, on the Mount road.

At the age of 4 he was brought by his parents to Morgan county, settling in the community which has ever since been Mr. Vasey's home. At the time of his death, he resided one-half mile north of the Point church.

On May 13, 1875, he was united in marriage to Miss Eliza McGinnis, also living in the community, the solemn words of the sacred ceremony being spoken by the late Dr. William F. Short, former presiding elder of the West Jacksonville district, and president of Illinois Woman's college. To this happy union there were born four children, Mrs. Alma Vasey Richardson, of Ashland, and Stella, Graver and Estelle at home. All three with the mother, were in the home at the time of the father's going away, but some were prevented by their own severe illness from attendance at his bedside. One son-in-law, William Richardson, and one grandson, Donald Vasey Richardson, complete the list of immediate relatives, but a large number of more distant ones; beside a host of warm friends, unite the tears of sorrow and of sympathy to those of the bereaved family.

On August 25, 1895, under the pastorate of Rev. Joseph Winterbottom, Mr. Vasey took the solemn vows of membership in the Point M. E. church, which vows he faithfully and cheerfully kept through all the remaining years of his life. He had at that time already been, for more than a dozen years, the capable and true teacher of the Meigs Bible class in the Point Sunday school, a position which he continued to hold till his death. One of his last inquiries was in regard to the welfare of his class.

Not satisfied with the opportunities for religious activity furnished by the services of his own church, and being a man of broad vision and free from denominational bias, he became a regular attendant upon and an earnest participant in the services of the Liberty M. P. church, and held the responsible position of superintendent of their Sunday school for several years. His official connection with the point church antedates his membership therein, he having been made one of the trustees of that church in 1890, which office he filled with credit for more than 22 years, being still in office at his death. He has also been for many years a member of the board of stewards.

In addition to his multifarious religious activities, he also found time for a keen interest in the civil affairs of his community, serving for more than a score of years as a director of the Point school, only being excused from still longer service by his absolute refusal to stand for continued re-election, on account of advancing years and failing health.

Peter Vasey was a man of high ideals and of sterling worth to the church and to the community, one whose like is all too seldom met, and whose place it will be difficult to fill. A man kind and considerate in his home life, careful in the training of his children, generous with the faults and appreciative of the virtues of his neighbors, and firm and unswerving in his devotion to the right, he goes to his reward bearing with him the respect of all who knew him, and leaving behind him the record of a well spent life, and the priceless heritage of a good name. Life's toilsome pilgrimage is over; its battle fought, its victories won; His soul at heaven's open door.

The Father's welcome here: "Well done."

FRANKLIN.

Mrs. Sarah Hill has been suffering with a very severe attack of rheumatism the past week.

Miss Lucile Olinger of the I. W. C. spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

A large number attended the funeral of "Aunt Pop" VanWinkle Sunday afternoon. There were many beautiful flowers and appropriate music was furnished by the following quartet: Misses Ima Berryman, Lucile Olinger, Grace Hill and Mrs. LeRoy Branom.

Miss Edna Woods of the Illinois college spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Woods.

The senior class of the local high school is preparing a play, "The Fruits of His Folly," to be given Jan. 25th, at the Olinger opera house.

Allene Austin has been on the sick list since last week.

Leonard Hills is in Lynnville doing substitute work for one of the teachers, who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wright and daughter, Kathryn, left last week for San Diego, Calif., to spend the remainder of the winter.

George Dalton fell and broke his leg Saturday while cutting hedge. He was taken to Jacksonville for necessary medical attention.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS
John M. Epler, brother of the late Judge Cyrus Epler, has been in Colorado for a time and word has been received that he has suffered one or two strokes of paralysis and is not expected to live. His son-in-law, Jesse Koonitz, has gone to Mr. Epler's bedside. Mr. Epler at one time lived in Cass county where he had extensive land interests.

MEMBERS OF JACKSONVILLE DRIVING CLUB ELECT DIRECTORS

Hold Meeting in New Ayers Bank Building—Officers for Year Are Chosen.

Tuesday afternoon the members of the Jacksonville Driving Club held a meeting in the rooms of the Ayers National Bank building, and chose directors, who in turn elected officers for the ensuing year.

The meeting was quite largely attended and a fine spirit of optimism for the coming season prevailed. The track and grounds are in first class condition and with the addition of a large barn, the park would be one of the best in this section, and Morgan County would have a good location for a county fair. The first racing meet of the season will be held July 4th and the members of the club are planning to have a horse show in the morning with a racing matinee in the afternoon.

This club was formed by a few Morgan county horsemen two years ago and although it has not experienced any phenomenal growth, never theless, its advancement had been steady and the club has an excellent park for their racing meets.

Since its organization George B. Gabel has held the office of secretary of the club, discharging the duties of that position in a most efficient manner. At the meeting Tuesday he tendered his resignation and Clark L. Green was elected to the office. The directors chosen at Tuesday's meeting were: Dr. H. B. Carriel, John W. Cleary, T. L. Cannon, William A. Masters, Scott B. Green, H. H. Massey, J. W. Woods and J. W. Strawn, who elected the following officers:

President—F. M. Morton.

Secretary—Clark L. Green.

Assistant secretary—A. D. Arnold.

WOODSON.

J. W. McAllister and William Rook shipped a car of hogs to East St. Louis Monday.

Miss Pearl Shelton and brother Edgar of Springfield spent Sunday with relatives here.

Frank Shelton of Galesburg visited home folks here last week.

Mrs. Edward Gallagher and daughter Miss Ione were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson of North Prairie street, Jacksonville, Friday night and Saturday.

Miss Grace McHorter of Passavant hospital in Jacksonville visited home folks here Saturday evening.

Miss Clara McHorter was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Iles in Jacksonville Sunday.

Mr. Lra C. Smith of Springfield filled the pulpit at the Christian church Sunday, his theme for the morning service was: "The Mystery of Godliness" and for evening: "Redemption in Christ." He returned to Springfield Monday. He expects to be with us again on Sunday, Feb. 2nd.

Prof. L. Foster Hite will be here Thursday evening Jan. 23rd for the purpose of reorganizing the choral class. Everybody welcome to enter the class Thursday evening.

On or about the 25th of Feb. there will be a special train consisting of 39 stock and furniture cars, start for North Dakota, they will be made up from Waverly, Franklin, Roodhouse, White Hall, Murrayville and Woodson. Immediately following will be a number of families from each place. Those going from and near here are: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spainhower and son; Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair Russell and family, mother, Mrs. Sarah Russell and sister Elizabeth Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Wardle, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clayton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clayton and family and two sons of George Clayton and Charlie Asher.

Mr. Wilbur Williams of Chapin spent Sunday here with friends.

Mr. Will Ricks of Jacksonville was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Steinmetz.

Little Eugene Megginson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Megginson is very ill with pneumonia.

Miss Grace Potter of Jacksonville was the guest of the Megginson sisters Saturday evening and Sunday.

William Clegg from near Murrayville visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Johnson and family and Mr. Johnson's mother, statered for Orchard, Mitchell Co., Ia., Tuesday where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson and family expect to go also the last of February. They have the best wishes of the people of this community.

Miss Lelia Galloway of Murrayville was the guest of relatives and friends here Saturday evening and part of Sunday.

Dr. R. R. Jones has been confined to his bed during the past week by illness.

TRI KAPPA PROGRAM.
The Tri Kappa Literary society met Tuesday afternoon in the chapter room at Whipple Academy when an interesting program was given, which was followed by a social hour when light refreshments were served by Misses Helen Green and Elsie Scholl.

The program follows:
Music—Stella Covington.
Reader—"Sandy's Courtin'", Alberta Quigg.
Declamer—"Psychology of Gospel", Helez Killiam.
Extemporizer—"The Advantages and Disadvantages of a Co-Educational School", Catherine Wilson.
Oration—"Down in Irish Row", Gladys Galloway.
Current Events—Elsie Wheeler.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our mother, Mrs. Mary Doolin.

The Children.

THE TEMPERATURES.
The temperatures for Tuesday, according to G. H. Hall, weather observer at Alexander, were: maximum 29, minimum, 7.

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Tuesday's Journal tells of a fire at 302 North East street, caused by a coal oil lamp, at which a woman was badly burned. The Journal says: "In the meanwhile the fire department was called and extinguished the fire with the chemical."

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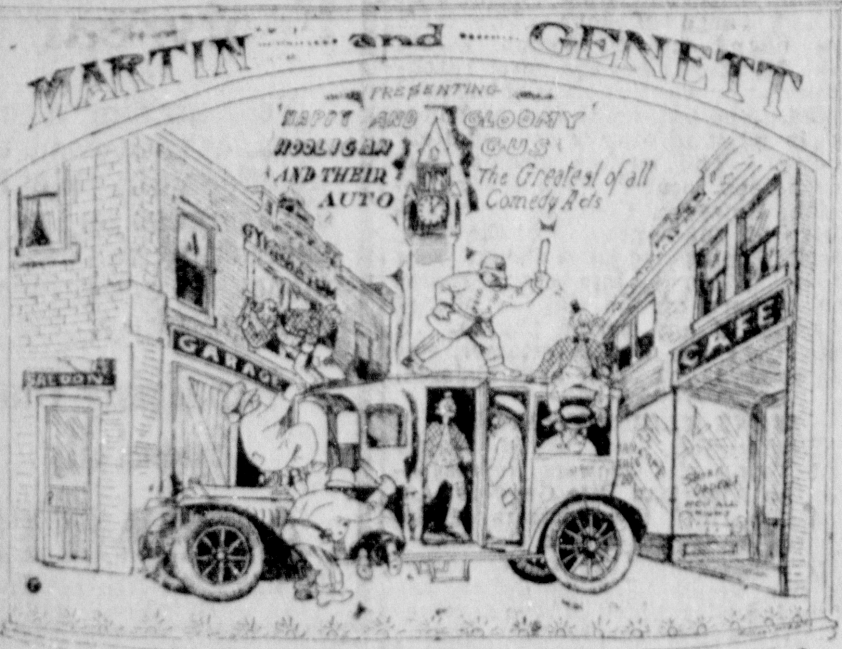
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PROGRESSIVES TO CONFER. St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 21.—Leaders of the Progressive party from Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the Dakotas are to hold an important conference here this week to discuss the work of organization, publicity and raising funds to keep the party in good fighting trim during the next four years. Senator Kenyon of Iowa and former Senator Beveridge of Indiana have promised to attend the banquet which will be held tonight following the close of the conference.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. William Kastrup to Clinton O. Wilgus, warranty deed, part lots 1 and 2 J. W. Elliott's subdivision lot 8 Church Hill addition, Jacksonville; \$1.

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PEORIA GRAIN MARKET. Peoria, Ill., Jan. 21.—Corn 5c up; No. 3 yellow, 47c; No. 4 yellow, 45 1/2c; No. 3 mixed, 47c; No. 4 mixed, 45 1/2c; sample, 40 1/4c. Oats 1/2c up; standard, 34c; No. 3 white, 33 1/2c; No. 4 white, 32 1/2c.

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MORE OHIO BIBERY TRIALS. Columbus, O., Jan. 21.—The case of State Senator Edward T. Crawford of Carroll county, indicted on a charge of bribery, has been called for trial here. This is another in the series of "graft" prosecutions which have already resulted in placing several members of the last state legislature behind prison bars.

TO ATTEND BANKERS' MEETING. Miller Weir left last night for Chicago to attend a meeting of the committee of the American Bankers' association, for the state of Illinois, appointed to conduct a campaign of education in savings and thrift to be held at the Congress hotel this morning. The work of this committee is intended to be along the lines of cultivating the virtues of frugality with the end in view of helping solve the question of the high cost of living. Some important results from the work of the committee are anticipated as time passes.

Tonight members of the executive committee of the Illinois Bankers' association will have a banquet at the Congress hotel and members of committee of which Mr. Weir is a member will also attend.

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GRAIN MARKET PRICES ADVANCE

CORN ADVANCE LEADS GRAIN MARKET UPWARD.

Wheat Opened Higher Through Strength of Foreign Market—Corn Firm All Day and Closed at Top—Oats Followed Wheat and Corn.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Corn advancing a cent led the grain markets upward today. Provisions declined 2 1/2c.

Wheat opened higher because Liverpool failed to reflect the local weakness of yesterday. A decline ensued on flatness in the export market. Then there was another slump when it was stated that the latter traffic was in old Manitoba.

In a report from New York that forty loads had been sold abroad and the pronounced strength of corn caused another upturn. The market had hardly started downward again when the close of the trading day came.

Business was active in the last hour. Among the considerations which influenced the pit were a report from Winnipeg that there was enough steady export business to check any radical declines, and a decline of 8 points in the condition of wheat in France as compared with a year ago.

Corn was firm all day and closed at the top. Argentine news was the important factor. Corn at Buenos Ayres advanced an extreme 1 1/2c, reflecting serious damage by heat and drought. Another factor was the statement that corn in Iowa and Nebraska is testing 49 1/2 bushels an acre as against an average yield of 35 bushels.

Oats participated in the activity and strength closing at the top. There was a better domestic call for cash oats which were unchanged to 1/2c higher and an improvement in the investment call.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET. Chicago, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market steady to 10c lower. Steers, \$5.85 to \$9.10; Texas steers, \$4.70 to \$5.70; western steers, \$6.40 to \$7.10; stockers and feeders, \$4.70 to \$5.70; cows and heifers, \$2.70 to \$3.30; calves, \$7.00 to \$9.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market weak to 5c lower. Light, \$7.30 to \$7.60; mixed, \$7.30 to \$7.60; heavy, \$7.10 to \$7.40; rough, \$7.10 to \$7.25; pigs, \$6.00 to \$7.40; bulk of sales, \$7.40 to \$7.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; market active, 10 to 25c higher. Native \$4.90 to \$6.60; western, \$5.00 to \$6.50; yearlings, \$6.65 to \$8.40; lambs, native, \$7.10 to \$9.10; western, \$7.15 to \$9.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET. St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,200; market 5 to 10c lower. Choice to fine steers, \$8.75 to \$9.25; good to choice steers, \$7.25 to \$8.75; dressed and butchers, \$5.50 to \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.25 to \$7.40; cows and heifers, \$5.50 to \$8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market 5 to 10c higher. Pigs and lights, \$6.75 to \$7.65; mixed and butchers, \$7.50 to \$7.65; good heavy, \$7.55 to \$7.65.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market 15 to 25c higher. Muttons, \$9.00 to \$6.50; yearlings, \$7.00 to \$8.60; lambs, \$6.50 to \$9.35.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET. Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 21.—A firmer tone ruled in wheat today after recent moderate recessions. May closed 5c higher than yesterday and July 3 1/2c higher. May opened, 87 1/2c; high, 88 1/2c; low, 87 1/2c; closed, 88 1/2c.

July opened, 89 1/2c; high, 89 1/2c; low, 89 1/2c; closed, 89 1/2c.

Closing cash: No. 1 hard, 88 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 88 1/2c; to arrive, 86 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 84 1/2c to 86c.

HOME MARKETS. Commission men pay:

Hens, heavy, 10c; light, 9c; Stags, 10c; 10c; Old roosters, 5c; Ducks, 10c; Guineas, each, 15c; Geese, 10c; Turkeys, 15c; Toms, 10c; Eggs, 20c; Butter, 19c.

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Wheat—High Low Close May 93 1/2 92 1/2 93 1/2 July 90 1/2 89 1/2 90 1/2 September 89 1/2 88 1/2 89 1/2

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Washington, Jan. 21.—In no year of American history have there been offered such abundant opportunities for centenary celebration as the year now begun. During the ensuing twelve months there will occur the centennial anniversary of the births as such notable figures in American history as Stephen A. Douglas, the Democratic candidate for president against Lincoln; Admiral David B. Porter, one of the celebrated naval commanders in the civil war; Henry Ward Beecher, the famous pulpit orator; Allen G. Thurman, Ohio senator and one of the noted leaders of the Democratic party; Gen. John Sedgwick, one of the ablest and bravest officers of the Army of the Potomac; Zachariah Chandler, United States senator and secretary of the Interior, and Stephen R. Mallory, who is best remembered as the secretary of the navy of the Confederate States.

Of the men named in the foregoing list, however, there is none whose career was half so picturesque as that of John C. Fremont, who was born one hundred years ago today in Savannah, Ga. Soldier, explorer, civil engineer, governor of California and Arizona and first candidate of the Republican party for president, General Fremont for many years was a conspicuous and at times a very romantic figure in the public eye.

General Fremont's father was a Frenchman, who, coming to the United States, married into a Virginia family, and died when John was five years old. After leaving college the future soldier and political leader lived for some years teaching mathematics, in which occupation he made a long cruise on a United States warship. When he returned he obtained a position in the United States topographical corps, and explored the mountain passes of North Carolina and Tennessee.

In 1841 Fremont met in Washington the young daughter of Senator Benton of Missouri, and they were married secretly. The couple afterward were accepted by the bride's father, who subsequently had Fremont placed in command of the expedition to explore the western United States territories, and Fremont began the work which gave to him the title of the Pathfinder and resulted in his candidacy for the presidency of the United States.

He made five expeditions in all. In the first he gathered much needed and accurate knowledge of the Indians in Nebraska, Wyoming and the south pass to Oregon, and planted the American flag on the highest peak of the Rocky mountains. The little band suffered terrible hardships and encountered many dangers, but the results of the expedition were so valuable that Fremont started on another one the following year. He explored Utah this time, and it was his report of the resources of the Salt Lake region that attracted the Mormons.

On their third expedition to California got into complications, and on charges he was found guilty and sentenced to be dismissed from the army, in which he had risen to the rank of colonel. President Polk, while approving the verdict remitted the penalty, but Fremont resigned. This was in 1848, and he conducted his last two expeditions at his own expense. He had settled in California and had come to the United States senate in 1850, but he could not be re-elected on account of his hostility to the extension of slavery. In 1856 he was nominated for president by the new Republican and "National American" parties, but was defeated.

When the civil war broke out Fremont received a command, but was involved in controversy and relieved of active service. At this period the discontent with Lincoln's administration centered in Fremont, and in 1864 he was nominated by the "radical" Republicans for president, but as it appeared that his nomination could only result in the defeat of both Lincoln and himself, he withdrew.

General Fremont was governor of Arizona from 1878 to 1881, and in 1890, a few months before his death, which occurred in New York City on July 13 of that year, congress authorized his appointment as a major general of the army.

CALIFORNIA BIRTHDAY PARTY.

The San Jose, Calif. Mercury and Herald of Jan. 12, 1913, had the following:

Anniversary Celebrated at Los Gatos.—"The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross on Glen Ridge, Los Gatos, was the scene of a joyful family reunion last Tuesday, when several of the sons and daughters of the house gathered to celebrate the birthday of their father, he having reached the ripe age of 78 years.

"Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Ross and Master Jack Ross of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ross of Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sloss and Miss Hills of San Jose and Mr. and Mrs. William Ross of Los Gatos.

"A bountiful repast, of which a delicious birthday cake was a feature, was enjoyed by all and after a happy visit together the guests scattered to their homes."

Mr. Ross is known to some of our people, being a son of the late Col. Wm. Ross, of Pittsburg. Mrs. Ross was Miss Mary P. Ballard of Perry. The Marshall Ross referred to was probably named for Mr. Marshall P. Ayers of this city.

ADDED TO DOCKET.

She case of Martin Peore vs. The Chicago & Alton railroad company. Trespass has been added to the general docket for the May term of the circuit court.

COURT WILL ADJOURN.

The circuit court of Morgan county will call an adjournment of the November term of court this morning at ten o'clock.

ON THE RED SEA

Another Interesting Letter From Mr. Kennedy.

The Journal is permitted to present another letter from Rev. Melville Kennedy, this time on the Red Sea:

P. O. S. N. Co., S. S. Medina, On Red Sea.

Dear Mother and All—
Tomorrow is the last day before we reach Aden, where the mails go out again; although it is very hot tonight inside, Myra and I have both come in to write for this time after dinner is the best time for this. We have struck our first real hot weather today, and it has been hot with a vengeance. We were really growing skeptical about the heat stories every one told of this trip. We had looked for heat on the Mediterranean and it failed to materialize; we were sure it would sizzle at Port Said, and it was almost chilly; on the Red Sea we were absolutely certain to be sweltering whatever else failed, and the first day out it was as cool as the Mediterranean. No wonder we began to doubt the English idea of heat, and think perhaps it won't be hot at all. But alas, we awoke this morning to the steaming reality. There was no room for uncertainty; the atmosphere and temperature of our cabin forced upon us the fact that we were in the tropics. All day, with varying degrees, we have been hot, with the breeze only fitfully playing, more as a tantalization than as a relief. Most of the passengers got out their cool clothes days ago when it was cool, when we had found no occasion to change, but this morning we dug down into the second trunk with a vengeance and donned the lightest clothes of last summer. Strange to say, Bobby has been more quiet than any day yet. While perfectly happy, he has been willing to sit still for some time on Myra's lap, instead of on the go every minute as is his usual frame of mind.

I tried to get an electric fan for our cabin today, but the supply is exhausted; as we are in an outside berth I didn't suppose we would need one. However, tonight, we have on a wind sail (I think it is), a great tin contrivance that extends out two feet and catches a fine breeze and sends it into the cabin.

Another hot day over, but tempered by a fine breeze all day, which made it quite bearable. Our tin business was a great invention. Last night we had a perfect hurricane blowing in all night, making it most comfortable for sleeping. It was amusing the way our berths were gradually denuded of bedding. We started with double blankets and last night we found nothing at all for covering, only a sheet folded at the foot of the berth, for use if desired. Fortunately, we are on the best side for the breeze, so find it very passable in the cabin, while other parents on opposite side last night took their babies to the deck and slept in chairs.

About the only thing to write of is our stop at Port Said. We found no mail except from India, but we had a good time ashore. We got in soon after mid-day and found ourselves in a most interesting scene. We anchored a short way from the docks, making a boat passage necessary to shore. Imagine about forty dozen his row boats swarming about, filled with swarthy Egyptians or Arabs, yelling for hire and berating each other all the time, each boat pushing in for a place at the landing stairs of the ship, with here and there a motor boat puffing in, blowing a horn such as our autos use, and in the midst of the babel, the court police boat with an energetic Arab standing in it shouting directions at every one and being obeyed seemingly by none—imagine this scene, lit up by the bright colors of turbanes, and enhanced by all the varied details of an oriental port, and you can faintly understand the keen interest with which we leaned over the railing to watch the show.

I hope you didn't get lost in that sentence; I am afraid I nearly did myself. There was order in the midst of the turmoil, however, for passengers were whisked ashore with amazing swiftness and dispatch, the fare being thriftpence a person (six cents). Another feature of the scene was the great barges of coal waiting to be unladen into the ship's bunkers. On these swarmed what seemed scarcely more than dingy looking animals. They were the coal heavers; clad in long, dark, flowing garments, heads swathed in cloth, all grimed with coal dust until they looked like ghouls. Every bit of coal that is loaded at Port Said, and it is the greatest coaling station in the world, is carried on by these creatures in baskets on their shoulders. They work with incessant speed, shouting most of the time at the tops of their voices. At night and before day light in the morning, we heard it—shrill, jabber, with here and there a fuller tone with musical cadence in it.

We waited till 4 p. m. before we went ashore, getting into a carriage almost immediately for an hour's ride around town. A Turk or an Arab drove us with tiny horses, and boldly wanted three shillings for one hour, when right in his carriage was posted the official rate at two shillings, i. e. 50c.

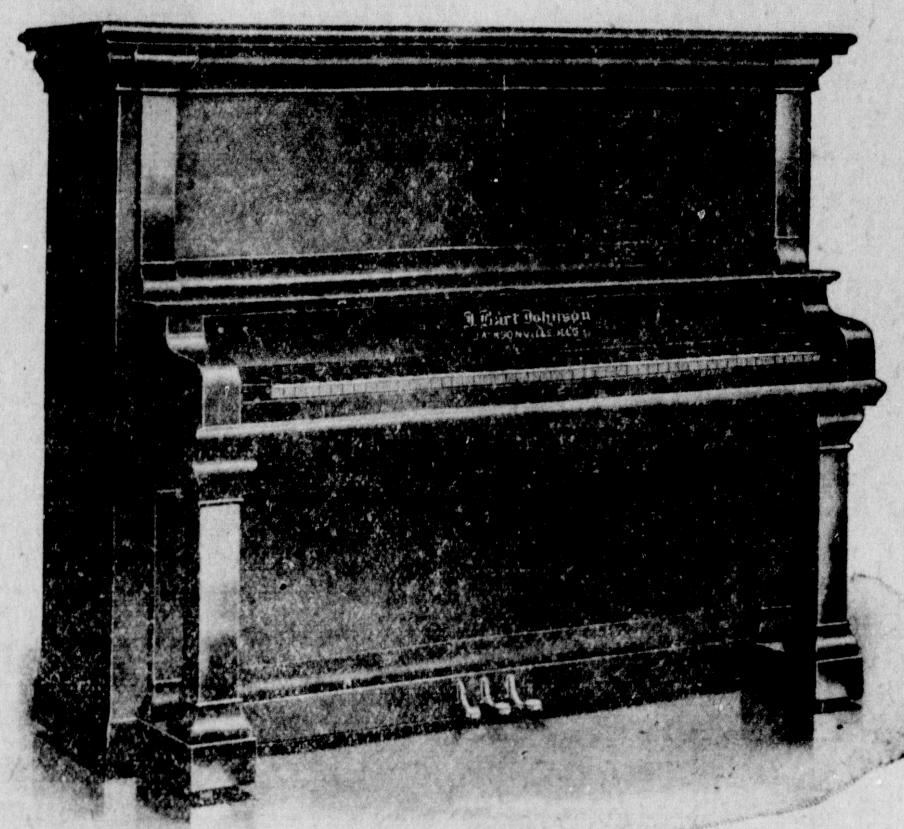
Sunday Morning.

Nov. 10, 1912.
Not much time to write. Well, we enjoyed the ride immensely, especially going through the Arab quarter. Here the scene was indescribable amongst the high, queer shaped, ramshackle wooden buildings, narrow streets, shops of various sorts, curious costumes, the noise, the smells, innumerable children, cats, dogs, etc., all entering into the panorama.

One vivid glimpse we had of a funeral as we rode by one narrow street. We saw a circle of black gowned women, veiled, rising and falling with rhythmic movement before a house, uttering a peculiar sort of wail. Just around the corner was a hearse, gaily bedecked as though entered for a flower show in brightest of colored trappings. 'Twas a

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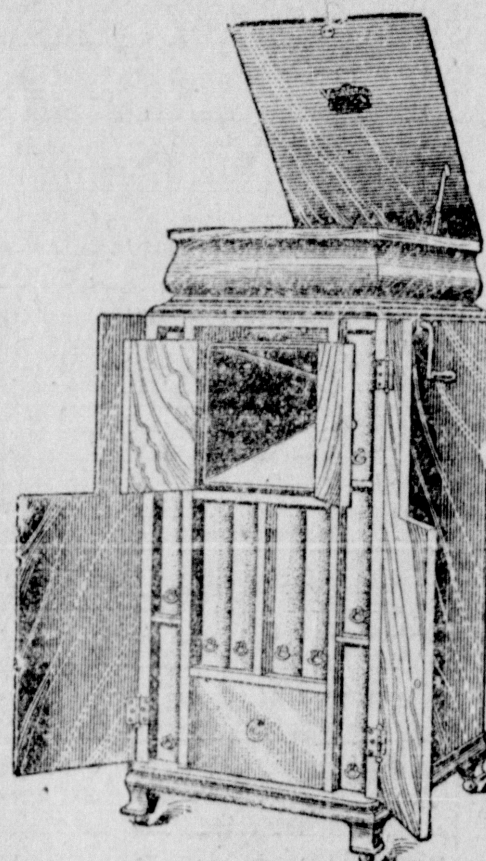
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strange contrast. It was all just a glimpse, but the effect on the memory was indelible. Before we got through the city, darkness had fallen, so we had the added effect of the lights in the shops. I wish I could picture it as we saw it but it isn't possible.

The situation of Port Said is dreary enough—on flattest of land, in the midst of endless sand, not a blade of green anywhere—just white sand reflecting the terrible heat and light. We bought a little topee (work hat) for Bobby and one for either Myra or me, for landing at Bombay they will be needed. We keep out of the sunshine absolutely, as it is fatal.

Going through the Suez canal took a full day and more. It is ninety miles long and is surely a great piece of work. All along its banks we came across groups of natives at work. The scenery is dreary beyond words—simply sandy desert with hills in distance on the Arabian side. Here we saw our first camels, many of them. The natives wear a long, loose skirt effect that comes to the knee. As they like deep colors, it is often quite picturesque to see the purples and deep blues against the white glaring sand. Often they would stop work and run along the bank calling for coppers. Always and everywhere they were shouting.

From the canal on, traveling is quite like the Mediterranean. Much of the time we were out of sight of land. The last few days we have met two very fine people, Sir Henry Proctor and Lady Proctor, of Bombay. They are earnest Christian people and especially interested in association work. Sir Henry is on the National Board of India (Y. M. C. A.) and his wife serves similarly on the Y. W. National Council. It is so refreshing to meet such people among so many of the worldly, artificial type of society. I like to think that these two represent the true Britisher, more than these snobbish,

class conscious people. Yet, evidently, there are a lot of just this type in England and her dependencies. It all gets on our nerves, sometimes, and we bless the providence that reared us in a democratic land.

Mr. Mott is to be entertained by the Proctors while in Bombay. Another family we have found who have a son in India who is a Church of England clergyman, so they are interested in missionary work.

Myra has just attended the service in the dining saloon, while I "minded" the baby. Last Sunday I went. The captain reads the Church of England service very well. We are getting quite familiar with it by this time.

I am finishing this on deck, every now and then looking out across the Arabian shore, which is some miles away in the bright sunshine. The huge rocks, all jagged and bare, are striking as they rear themselves along the shore line and again in the dim distance, but all else is flat sand. The mountains in the dim distance are much like these at Mt. Sinai, I suppose. The poor Israelites must have had a hard time of it those wilderness years, if it was then like what we have seen of it today. Probably the interior is better than the coast region.

From Eden on, traveling is better they say, because of breezes from the north all across the Indian ocean. That will just strike us fine as our cabin will be on the north side. Last night Bobby slept through from 7 to 5 without a break, a thing he hasn't done for some time.

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MORTUARY

Hardin.
Mrs. Bettie Hardin, for a number of years a resident of this city, died at her home in Springfield Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The deceased was a member of Mt. Emory Baptist church, having been affiliated with that organization for about forty years. She is survived by five grand children three in Springfield and two in Chicago.

Funeral services will be held at Springfield Thursday.

Flynn.
Mrs. Charlotte Flynn died Tuesday evening at 6:20 o'clock at Murrayville, at the age of 72 years. She had been ill since last August and for some time was a patient at Our Savior's hospital.

The deceased was born in Griggsville, Oct. 3, 1840, her maiden name being Charlotte Stevens. She was married to James B. Flynn, who died Dec. 4, 1912. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Webster, wife of Dr. G. O. Webster and one son who resides in Griggsville.

Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning from the family residence, after which the remains will be sent via the Alton to Springfield, where burial will be made in the Abbey Mausoleum in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Mr. Flynn's remains, which have been in the receiving vault at Diamond Grove cemetery were taken to Springfield Thursday and placed in the Mausoleum.

Wodthli.
Sam Wodthli, aged 67 years, died Monday at the Jacksonville State hospital. The body was taken to Williamson & Cody's undertaking parlors where it was prepared for burial and later sent to Highland, Ill., for burial.

WILL NOT NOW ENFORCE NEW
SCHEDULE OF M. W. A. RATES

Executive Council Will Let Next Head Camp of 1914 Pass Upon the Matter.

Rock Island, Ill., Jan. 21.—The executive council of the Modern Woodmen of America decided today not to put into force the new schedule of rates authorized at a head camp meeting held in Chicago, but will let the next head camp which meets in 1914 pass upon the matter. The council's decision will be effective regardless of what disposition the courts may make of the injunction which now restrains the society from enforcing the increase, and which is on its way to a hearing before the Illinois supreme court.

PITCHER CHENEY WANTS
MORE MONEY.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Pitcher Larry Cheney of the Chicago National has demanded more pay and has been given permission by President Murphy to try to get it from some other club.

Michael Heekinger, catcher last season with the Racine club of the Wisconsin-Illinois League, to day signed for next season with the Cubs.

MEETING PREPARATORY TO
REVIVAL AT GRACE CHURCH

Men's Brotherhood Has Boosters' Meeting and Various Committees Will Be Named to Help in Evangelistic Efforts.

A Boosters' meeting in preparation for the coming revival meeting at Grace M. E. Church which commences Sunday was held Tuesday night by the members of the Brotherhood. A supper was served at 6:30 o'clock after which the pastor, Dr. J. W. Miller, who will conduct the services, made a brief outline of how the meeting would be conducted and he expects to have every department of the church assigned some work to do. The men of the church will have charge of the music and W. C. McCullough, Henry J. Rodgers and J. W. Breckon was appointed a committee to act in conjunction with the pastor and the Brotherhood to name all necessary committees to help in the meetings.

Dr. F. A. McCarty, district superintendent was also present and offered some valuable suggestions.

There was a splendid spirit manifested throughout the meeting last night, which augurs well of the revival which is soon to commence.

MATRIMONIAL

Hazelwood-Evans.

The many friends of Miss Dorothy Evans will be surprised to learn of her marriage to Mr. Edward Hazelwood, the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Evans, Paris Mo., Saturday evening, Jan. 4th. The bride's family formerly resided in Jacksonville and she is a twin daughter. The groom is the son of a well respected family of Tammis, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Hazelwood will reside in Jacksonville where the groom is employed at the Jacksonville State hospital. Their many friends will wish them a long and prosperous married life.

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ARTHUR M. LEWIS

LECTURES HERE

Addresses Large Audience at Socialist Hall Tuesday Evening.

Socialist hall was filled to overflowing with an audience that gathered to hear Arthur M. Lewis, who lectured on the subject: "The Science of Sociology as Taught in the American Universities," Tuesday evening. The program was opened with a violin solo, "Solemn," by Drida, by Miss Minnie Hoffman, accompanied by Miss Grace Hoffman and they graciously responded to an encore with, "Berceuse," by Tschetschulin.

Mr. Lewis who is a lecturer of wide reputation, held the undivided attention of his audience. He took the formation of the laws of the universe as applied to the development of the earth and defended the sciences with the assertion that without the application of the sciences the world would either be at a standstill or go backward. He said that the discovery of the sciences and their application to the human family came only at a time when the human race was strong enough to resist the domination of the ruling classes, at the time of reformation.

In conclusion Mr. Lewis said: "I liken my own case to the condition of the working class of today. I was a poor boy, left fatherless when only two months old and my mother and sister too poor to buy bread for me. I made a vow after my mother's death that such a system that would work such hardships and cruelties would be one that I would labor against in an effort to undo it."

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AFTER CRIME IS COMMITTED.

Gulfport, Miss., Jan. 21.—Within seven hours after he had shot and killed Chief of Police Charles Dickey to day Percy Newkirk, a negro who had been trapped by the officer while in the act of robbing a store, was indicted by the county grand jury, tried on a charge of murder, convicted and sentenced to be hanged one month from this date.

PASSAVANT TRUSTEES
IN ANNUAL MEETING

EXCELLENT REPORTS HEARD
FOR PAST YEAR

Hospital Shown to Be in a Prosperous Condition—Election of Officers is Held.

The annual meeting of the board of trustees of Passavant Memorial hospital took place Tuesday evening with a good attendance. Nearly all the churches of the city were represented by pastor or trustees and in some cases both.

The hospital is the especial work of the Protestant churches of the city and each church is to be represented by its pastor and two trustees chosen by the church together with two trustees from the hospital aid society. Among those present last evening were Rev. Messrs. L. H. Davis, Westminster; J. W. Miller, Grace; Clyde Darsie, Central Christian; W. L. Dorgan, First Baptist; A. Russell, Mt. Emory Baptist. Doctors, Carl E. Black, A. L. Adams, George Stacy, T. J. Pitner, David Reid, Messrs. John R. Loar, Albert Metcalf, F. E. Farrell, F. J. Andrews, W. T. Brown, Albert Williamson, E. D. Hayden, Postley, T. H. Buckthorpe, and Messdames Wm. Fell, Geo. Hollinger and Thos. Heaton.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

Albert Metcalf for the auditing committee, reported that the books had been carefully examined and found to be correct. A compliment was paid Miss Ethel Cox, the capable bookkeeper.

Dr. Carl E. Black, secretary, read his report from which a few facts are taken:

Patients remaining Jan. 1, 1912..... 16
Admitted during the year..... 548
Remaining Jan. 1, 1913..... 20

Total..... 564
A gain of 17 over the previous year.

There were discharged cured..... 412

There were discharged improved..... 68

There were discharged unimproved..... 19

Received for observation..... 6

Died..... 39

Remaining..... 20

Total..... 564

There were 9696 nursing days a gain over last year and at the same time the expenses were slightly less.

The treasurer, F. E. Farrell, reported that all expenses were paid and the institution was free from debt with a small surplus on hand.

For the medical staff Dr. A. L. Adams reported that all was harmonious and in good order. The doctors were working for the good of the hospital and were in full harmony with it.

Miss Ida B. Venner, the worthy superintendent, made her report which was an excellent showing for the institution and her fine management. She referred to the lack of accommodations which at times had obliged them to refuse patients because there was no room for them and at other times to place patients in wards or smaller rooms because the higher priced ones were occupied.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the worthy lady for her fine management of the institution.

Miss Venner as head of the training school made her report showing that the best of work is being done in that department and it has stood the test of the expert investigation of the state official who however, had classed the accommodations as C, which is the lowest.

Dr. C. E. Black, dean of the training school, made his report which was in keeping with that of the superintendent.

Election was followed and resulted in the choice of:

John R. Loar, president.

S. W. Nichols, vice-president.

Dr. Carl E. Black, secretary.

F. E. Farrell, treasurer.

Dr. H. C. Woltman was chosen regularly medical trustee and Dr. A. L. Adams to fill the unexpired term of Dr. Campbell, removed.

Dr. Carl E. Black was chosen dean of the training school.

John R. Loar, Dr. Carl E. Black and F. E. Farrell were chosen a building committee for the new building to be erected.

All the reports and all said and done rebounded to the honor and credit of the hospital, showing it to be in a fine condition and doing a grand work.

Dr. Carl E. Black emphasized the great need of a new hospital building for while the present one was good in its day it is far behind the requirements of an up-to-date building.

Miss Venner reported various improvements, notably in the heating apparatus, all of which have been paid for.

Remarks were made by a number of persons setting forth loyalty to the institution and its purposes.

At the close of the business session nice refreshments were served by the hospital and a pleasant time enjoyed socially during which those present had an opportunity to examine the fine work of the X-ray machine which is one of the best of its kind.

SOLDIERS GIVE WEDDING GIFT.
Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 21.—As a reminder of the generosity of Miss Helen Gould in distributing thousands of coats for the use of sick and wounded American soldiers in the Cuban campaign, the private soldiers of Fort Leavenworth will present to her as a wedding gift, a miniature reproduction of a "Helen Gould coat" wrought in solid gold.

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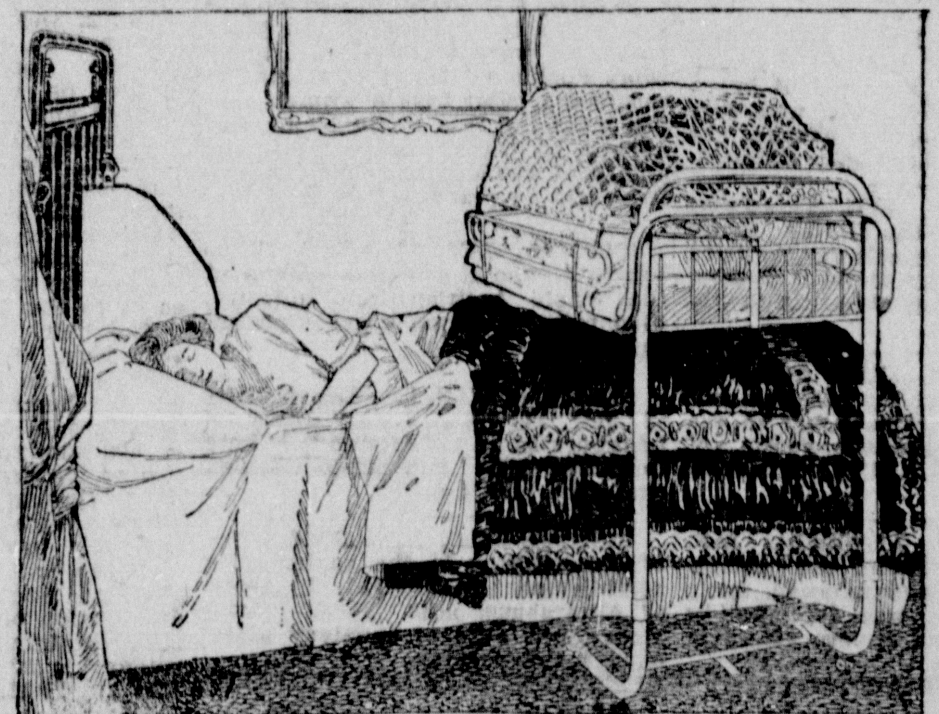
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\$2.00 Comforts..... \$1.48
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\$3.00 Childs' Bear Skin Coats..... \$2.00
\$5.00 Ladies Dress Skirts—main floor..... \$2.50
\$1.00 Knit Scarfs..... 79c
25c Knit Scarfs..... 19c
\$5.00 Ladies' Sweater Coats..... \$3.50
\$3.00 Ladies' Sweater Coats..... \$2.00
\$2.00 Misses' Sweater Coats..... \$1.00
50c Childs' Sweater Coats..... 39c
25c Boys' fleeced Underwear, Shirts or Drawers..... 19c
50c Ladies' fleeced Underwear, Vests or Pants..... 19c
25c Ladies' fleeced Underwear, Vests or Pants..... 19c
\$1.50 Ladies' fleeced Union Suits..... \$1.20
\$1.00 Ladies' fleeced Union Suits..... 85c
75c Ladies' fleeced Union Suits..... 63c
\$5.00 Wool Blankets..... \$3.50
\$4.00 Wool Blankets..... \$3.00
\$3.00 Wool Blankets..... \$2.25
\$1.50 and \$1.00 Wool Dress Goods..... 79c
60c and 50c Wool Dress Goods..... 39c

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A special lot of superior values; this season's best sellers, in tans, \$4.00 to \$5.00 values, now \$3.50.

\$2.50

In this lot the cream of the sale, \$3.50 to \$4.00; styles and sizes good; all leathers, to clean up. Several dozen pairs of lace boots, all heights, \$3.50 to \$5.00 values, now \$2.50; sizes good.

\$1.50

All odds and ends, narrow widths and small sizes, all now \$1.50.

FOR WOMEN

\$2.50

We have put the bulk of our women's shoes in this lot, \$3.00 to \$4.00 values, all leathers; to clean up \$2.50.

\$1.50

In this lot all odds and ends narrow widths and small sizes, now \$1.50. Warm lined shoes now \$1.50. Felt Slippers now 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

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We have a choice lot of shoes for the children; high grade shoes, broken lots, just to clean up we offer them in special lots at 49c, 69c, and 98c. See them at once. Just the thing for wear.

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SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., JAN. 21.—The University of Illinois basketball team defeated Purdue here tonight 22 to 18.

LONDON, JAN. 21.—Col. Sir William Manning has been appointed governor of Jamaica to replace Sir Henry Olivier, who has held that office since 1907.

SEATTLE, WASH., JAN. 21.—Daniel F. Fitzgerald, once a merchant of Worcester, Mass., and a former chief ranger of the forests of America, died in a hospital today, aged about 50 years.

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WASHINGTON, JAN. 21.—Judge George Gray, of the United States circuit court of appeals for the third district, was today made a member of the board of regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

WASHINGTON, JAN. 21.—Chief Justice White and the associate justices of the supreme court of the United States were the guests of honor tonight at a dinner given by the president.

EDMONTON, ALBERTA, JAN. 21.—A large part of the business section of Fort Saskatchewan, thirty miles from here, was destroyed by fire today causing a loss exceeding \$200,000.

WILLIAM WEBB IS ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT

Jacksonville Man is Honored By Illinois Corn Growers' Association J. I. Wilson of Winchester Also An Officer.

Urbana, Ill., Jan. 21.—Illinois Corn Growers' in annual session today elected officers as follows: President, W. B. Mills, McNabb; vice presidents, William Webb, Jacksonville; W. G. Griffith, McNabb; W. H. Rowe, Decatur; L. F. Alexander, Charleston; J. T. Wilson, Winchester; F. I. Mann, Gilman; secretary, Leigh Maxy, Varran; treasurer, H. A. Winter, Wenona; state vice-president, National Corn Show, C. A. Rowe, Decatur.

ERKINS STAYS IN OFFICE. Madison, Wis., Jan. 21.—State Insurance Commissioner Erkin still remains in office despite an attempt to remove him by force late today. Superintendent of Public Property William L. Essmann, accompanied by L. A. Anderson, Governor McGovern's appointee, and a number of capitol police.

EVANSVILLE, IND., JAN. 21.—The Ohio river is slowly receding and tonight registers 46.7, a decline of four-tenths of a foot from the high mark. By tomorrow the fall is expected to be more rapid.

ELGIN, ILL., JAN. 21.—That a girl who does her hair up, wears a hobble skirt and has acquired a title of "Miss" is too old to be spanked, was the decision today by Police Magistrate Thompson. A father who appeared in his court for spanking a daughter of that age was fined.

ELGIN, ILL., JAN. 21.—Perplexities which have arisen at the Elgin postoffice were overshadowed today when Postmaster Harry D. Hemmens received a letter from a woman asking what the rate would be to ship herself to Washington, D. C. The applicant was Mrs. Mary Phillip, who is nearly 60 years old.

VIENNA, JAN. 21.—Karl Wittgenstein, who at one time controlled the whole Austrian iron industry, died today. He was a great philanthropist.

BUFFALO, JAN. 21.—Leach Cross of New York and Jimmy Duffy of Lockport boxed ten fast rounds here tonight. The newspaper decision made the bout a draw.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., JAN. 21.—While working in the undertaking establishment of Marshal H. Moore, of Petersburg, near here, James Moore fell dead of apoplexy at 8 o'clock this evening.

Mr. Anderson got only as far as the outer office and a request by Eschmann to Erkern that the commissioner vacate was ignored. This was followed by an attempt to use force but was halted when a court officer served injunctions on Eschmann. Anderson the hearing on which before Judge Era Stevens of the Dane county circuit court this evening, was put over until Saturday. At that time Governor McGovern will endeavor to show causes why the injunction should not stand.

NEW FRENCH CABINET MEETS. Paris, Jan. 21.—A preliminary meeting of the new French cabinet under the premiership of Aristide Briand was held tonight when the personnel was somewhat modified from that announced early in the day. The new cabinet is as follows: Premier and minister of the interior, Aristide Briand; foreign affairs, Charles C. A. Jonnart; war, Eugene Etienne; marine, Pierre Baudin; finance, Louis L. Klotz; public instruction, Jules Steeg; public works, Jean Dupuy; commerce, Gabriel Guist-Hau; agricultural, Ferdinand David; colonies, Jean Morel; labor, Rene Besnard.

TO MAKE SETTLEMENT IN MATTER OF GUARDIANSHIP

Reuben Menezes, Who Left Home a Number of Years Ago, Believed to be Dead.

Mrs. Joqueña Lofters and others have by their attorney, J. O. Priest, filed a petition in the probate court of Morgan county, asking that E. M. Vasconcellos be required to appear in said court on the first Monday in February and make settlement in the matter of the guardianship of Reuben Menezes, a son of Mrs. Lofters by a former marriage. The other petitioners are brothers of Reuben Menezes.

As set forth in the petition Reuben Menezes was a son of Joseph G. Menezes, the first husband of Mrs. Lofters, who departed this life Nov. 21, 1893, leaving a policy for insurance on which the funds were realized and placed in the hands of Mr. Vasconcellos as guardian of the children. The heirs it appears were paid their share of the money due them, with the exception of that part which was to go to Reuben Menezes, and the guardian having discharged his duty in the matter was discharged as to the petitioner.

The heir, Reuben Menezes, was born Nov. 20, 1884. On Dec. 23, 1898, at the age of 14 years, he left his home and since taking his departure he has not been heard of by his family and it is the declaration of the petitioners that their belief is that he is dead, as repeated efforts have been made to locate him and all have so far failed. Now come the petitioners praying that the guardian may be required to make distribution of the sum it is claimed still remaining unpaid and which amount is \$250 with interest since May 22, 1902.

Menezes if still living has now arrived at the age of 28 years and as fourteen years have elapsed since he was last seen by his family and he has not communicated with them, and they cannot locate him, the belief is that he is not living.

If in need of a suit, don't fail to call on Garland & Co.

WITH THE SICK. The family of Joseph Helliwell of Woodson has been ailing with various ills for some time but the various members are reported much better.

Mrs. Charles Samples was taken to Passavant hospital Tuesday for treatment. Dr. T. O. Hardesty has returned from Winfield, Mo., where he was called on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. R. L. Wilson, who is improving.

THE BIRTH RECORD. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Childers of Pisgah neighborhood Monday morning, a girl. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford DeFreitas of N. Diamond street, Tuesday night, a son.

CHICAGO STRIKE IS PROBABLE

Chicago, Jan. 21.—A strike of the 40,000 Garment Workers' belonging to unions in Chicago was ordered tonight unless the manufacturers agree to accept no more sub-contracts from manufacturers in New York. Several thousand representatives of the Garment Workers' unions gathered to vote on the strike resolution which was carried unanimously amid enthusiasm.

The manufacturers will be given eight days in which to agree to the demands formulated in the workers' resolution. About twenty-four employers of workers are affected.

A committee of twenty was appointed at the Garment Workers' meeting tonight to confer with the members of the employers' association. The committee will meet tomorrow morning and proceed at once to ascertain the course of the employers.

The strike resolution was intended to prevent manufacturers here from doing work for concerns in New York whose employees are striking. The Garment Workers here are determined to stand by their fellows in the east.

FAST GAME EXPECTED.

The Jacksonville High school basketball team and Routt College High will meet this evening in Strawn's hall at 8:15 o'clock. From the interest manifested the game promises to be one of the best seen here. The squads are in the pink of condition and with both counting strong on a victory the fans will be given a rare treat.

DR. CARL E. BLACK MAKES REPORT ON NURSES' HOME

Additional Sum of \$2,000 Aside From the \$10,000 Will be Given by S. W. Nichols if New Building Requires It—Plans For Building Submitted.

At the annual meeting of the board of trustees of Passavant hospital held Tuesday evening, Dr. Carl E. Black, secretary of the board, made the following report relative to the new nurses' home, which had been made possible through the gift of \$10,000 by S. W. Nichols.

He said that plans were submitted by Mr. Nichols and adopted by the board for the meeting. The plans are already in the contractors' hands, who will file bids in a few days, all of which was unanimously agreed upon by the board, a large representation being present.

On motion of Mr. Nichols, John R. Loar, Dr. Carl E. Black and F. E. Farrell were elected unanimously as a building committee to look after the construction of the new home during his absence from the city.

Mr. Nichols said that he suspected from the character of the building required that the contract might exceed \$10,000 and in order that there should be no delay in securing the building, he would take care of any additional amount up to \$2,000; he would take care of this amount as an additional gift, after his trip abroad. This proposition was also accepted.

The executive committee was instructed to prepare suitable resolutions to Mr. Nichols for his gift to the hospital, which will be done later. It was also moved and unanimously adopted that the new nurses' home should bear the name of the donor.

AMPUTATION NOT NECESSARY. The many friends of Frank Taylor of 1029 Hackett avenue, will be pleased to know that he did not have his foot cut off as reported at first. He is at the Washburn hospital in Moberly, Mo., suffering from a badly mashed foot, but amputation was not necessary.

A good opportunity to purchase your boy a school suit at a very small cost, Garland & Co.

PUBLIC SALE. We will sell at our place, west of Diamond Grove cemetery, and one mile from our line tomorrow, Wednesday 22nd, horses, cows, a large number of hogs and farming implements. Henry W. Theis and Austin Joyce.

Dainty new neckwear, lace jabots, collars, stocks, bows, etc., new laces and embroideries, new novelties in white goods, fresh invoices of sheets, pillow cases and white quilts, all at January White Sale prices. F. J. Waddell & Co.

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Last Days of the Big Midwinter Clearance!

The Time is Now if You Want to Get in on the Big Savings.

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

The most desired styles and fabrics—Kerseys, Chinchillas, Friezes, imported and domestic weaves, ulsters, raglans, double and single breasted belted coats, 46, 48 and 52-inch lengths. \$25 and \$30 men's and young men's Overcoats at \$15.00 \$18 and \$15 men's and young men's Overcoats at \$10.25 Others proportionally.

Men's and Young Men's Suits

These clothes are from some of the best makers in the country. The assortment is large, for men, young men, in extra sizes, stouts and slims, conservative and novelty patterns; all models, all wool Scotch and worsted fabrics. \$25 and \$30 men's and young men's Suits at \$15.00 \$18 and \$15 men's and young men's Suits at \$10.25 Others proportionally.

Sweater Coats

Byron or Shawl Collars For Men or Women.

\$1.50 and \$1.00 Sweater Coats at .79c \$3.50 and \$3.00 Sweater Coats at \$2.13 \$4.00 Sweater Coats at \$2.79 \$5.00 heavy Shaker at \$3.69 \$7.00 and \$6.00 heavy Shaker at \$4.95

Boys' Russian Novelty Overcoats

Ages 2½ to 6 years; Chinchilla and Novelty Cloths. Button to the neck and belted Styles.

\$10 boys' Reefer Coats at \$6.95 \$7.50 boys' Reefer Coats at \$4.95 \$5.00 boys' Reefer Coats at \$3.39

10 per cent Reduction on all lined Dress and Work Gloves.

10 per cent Reduction on all Trunks and Grips.

10 per cent Reduction on all Corduroy Pants and Duck Coats.

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits

Ages 5 to 18 Years; Fancy Scotch and Worsted Fabrics; Blue Serges Included.

\$12 and \$10 Knickerbocker Suits at \$7.25 \$8.50 and \$7.50 Knickerbocker Suits at \$4.95 \$6.00 and \$5.00 Knickerbocker Suits at \$3.69 \$4.00 and \$3.50 Knickerbocker Suits at \$2.63

Boys' Furnishings

Neckband-Collar Attached and Separate Soft Collars.

\$1.00 fancy Shirts .79c 50c fancy Shirts .39c \$1.00 Neckband, detached cuffs 53c

Fancy Shirts

50c boys' fancy Shirts and Blouses at .39c

\$1.00 boys' fancy Shirts and Waist at .79c

75c Shirts and Waists at .59c

50c Rompers and Play Suits at 39c

\$1.00 Rompers and Play Suits at .79c

\$1.25 and \$1.00 V neck and collar attached Sweater Coats .79c

\$7.50 Shawl and Byron collar Sweaters . \$1.13

Manhattan Shirts

Fancy, Plain and Pleated.

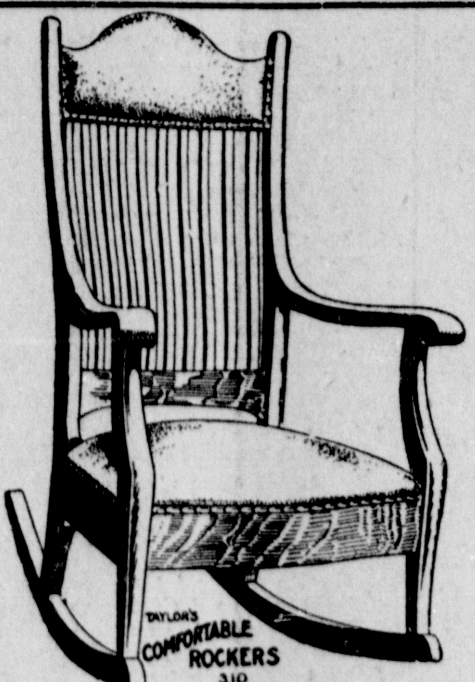
\$1.50 Manhattan Shirts at \$1.13

\$2.00 Manhattan shirts at \$1.38

\$2.50 Manhattan Shirts at \$1.98

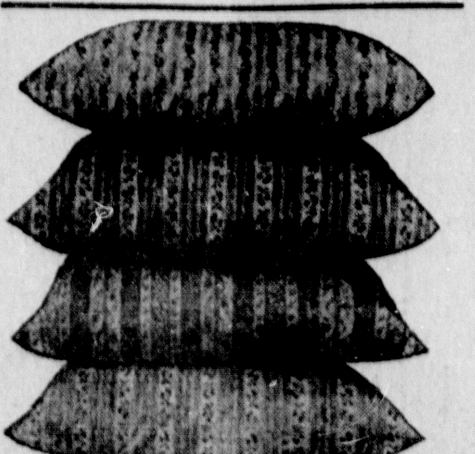
DEPEND UPON IT

that we are offering unusual bargains in all departments during this quiet January season, and we feel that they must be exceptional values to attract your interest, and our offerings are the best of their kind and all new stock that have much real merit. The articles illustrated below are our specials for this week.



Taylor's Rockers

Are perfection in rockers of comfort and superior quality. This rocker is sold regularly at \$15.00. Special this week \$10.95



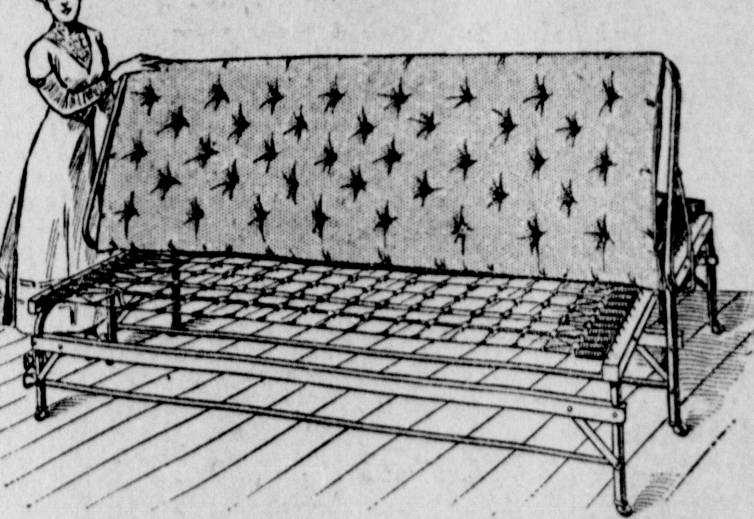
Sanitary Pillows

We show, and carry in stock a complete line of sanitary feather pillows in artistic tickings and a variety of qualities and you will find the sanitary brand worth choosing. Pair \$1 to \$6.00

Odd Chiffoniers All finishes, attractive patterns. This week One-Fourth Off

The Englander Couch Bed

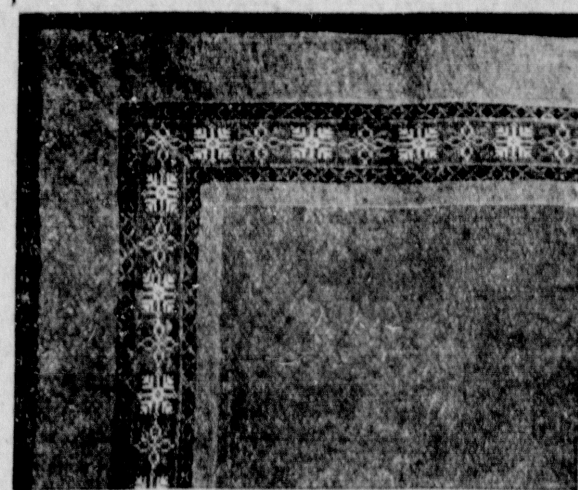
PATENTED



Couch Bed, partly open showing the one motion

needed to transform it to a bed.

Can be instantly changed from a luxuriously appearing couch to a perfect bed by a single motion and without moving from the wall. This single motion not only extends the couch, but reverses the mattress and you do not sleep on the upholstery. Value \$15.00, Special \$12.95 this week



Choice Patterns

In Etamine and Marquisette, made of long spun Arabian yarn, double thread. This \$6.00 value in a limited quantity, on sale this week, per pair \$3.95



The Sweeper-Vac

The most practical hand vacuum cleaner. Requires no oiling, easy to operate, and will do cleaning equal to the expensive electric. Let us send you one on trial. Price \$9.50



EXCELSIOR B. B.

A full case hardened steel, ball bearing, complete set of attachments, guaranteed for 10 years. A wonderful machine at the price. Value \$25.00. Special this week \$18.95

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